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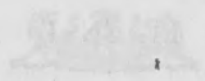
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## HOLIDAYS AT THE PUBLIC OFFICES.

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Ash Wednesday ... Feb. 25	Great Earthquake, 1692 June 7
Good Friday ... Apr. 10	Great Storm ... Aug. 28
Easter Monday ... 13	Christmas Day, and two days after ... Dec. 25, 26, 27

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## ECLIPSES OF THE SUN AND MOON IN 1846.

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Two Eclipses only occur during the revolution of this year.

The first is a very large eclipse of the Sun, on Saturday the 25th of April, and visible throughout the island of Jamaica. The Eclipse will begin at Kingston at about fifty-one minutes past nine o'clock in the morning, mean solar time: the middle of the Eclipse, or the greatest obscuration, will be at thirty-four minutes past eleven, when ten parts out of twelve of the Sun's diameter will be eclipsed on the northern side: the Eclipse will end at nineteen minutes past one o'clock in the afternoon. The best medium through which to view the Eclipse, and preserve the eye from danger, is a piece of window glass, smoked over the flame of a candle or lamp. About the middle of the Eclipse the Sun will be very high, nearly overhead.

The second and last Eclipse of this year, is also of the Sun, very early in the morning of Tuesday the 20th of October, but is invisible at Kingston, and to every part of the island of Jamaica: the ecliptical conjunction of the Sun and Moon will take place at thirty-six minutes after two o'clock, which is a long time before the Sun rises at Kingston.



## HEBREW CALENDAR, *Of Months, Sabbaths, and Holidays, of the Year 5606 and 5607 of the Creation.*

### 5606.

Fast of Tebet	Thurs	Jan. 8
Roshodes Sebat		
—New moon	Wed	Month of Sebat 28
Roshodes Adar		
—New moon	Thurs Frid	Month of Adar Feb. 26, 27
Fast of Esther	Wed	Mar. 11
Purim	Thurs Frid	12, 13
Roshodes Nissan		
—New moon	Satur	Month of Nissan 28
Pessah	Satur Sun	Passover Apr. 11, 12
Roshodes Yiar		
—New moon	Sun Mon	Month of Yiar 26, 27
Pessah Seni	Sun	Second Passover May 10
33 of the Homer	Thurs	14
Roshodes Sivan		
—New moon	Tues	Month of Sivan 26
Sebuot	Sund Mon	31, June 1
Roshodes Tamuz		
—New moon	Wed Thurs	Month of Tamuz 24, 25
Fast of Tamuz	Sund	July 12
Roshodes Ab		
—New moon	Frid	Month of Ab 24
Tishabeab	Sun	Aug. 2
Roshodes Elul		
—New moon	Satur Sun	Month of Elul 22, 23

### 5607.

Tisri Rosanna	Mon Tues	New Year Sept. 21, 22
Fast of Gedaliah	Wed	Day of Atonement 23
Kipur	Wed	30
Sucot	Mond Tues	Feast of Tabernacles Oct. 5, 6
Hoshanna Raba	Sun	11
Roshodes Hesvan		
—New moon	Tues Wed	Month of Hesvan 20, 21
Roshodes Kisleu		
—New moon	Thurs Frid	Month of Kisleu Nov. 19, 20
Hanuca	Mon	Dec. 14
Roshodes Tebet		
—New moon	Satur Sun	Month of Tebet 19, 20
Fast of Tebet	Tues	29



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Month

1 Th Un

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5 M

6 T

7 W

8 Th

9 F

10 S

11 D

12 M

13 T

14 W

15 Th

16 F

17 S

18 D

19 M

20 T

21 W

22 Th

23 F

24 S

25 D

26 M

27 T

28 W

29 Th

30 F

31 S

## JANUARY—FIRST MONTH—XXXI DAYS.

## PHASES OF THE MOON.



First Quarter, 4th day, 18min. past 9, morn.  
Full Moon, 12th day, 55min. past 8, morn.  
Last Quarter, 20th day, 45min. past 9, morn.  
New Moon, 27th day, 18min. past 4, morn.

SUN enters AQUARIUS 20th, at 4h. A.M.

Day of Month.	Particular Days. Notices of Planets. &c.	Equat. of time. Add.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun's Dec. south.	Moon rises & sets.	D's Age.
		m. s. h. m. h. m.			° ' "	h. m.	d.
1 Th	Union of Great-Britain	3 55 6	33 5	35 35	23 0	9 a 46	4
2 F	[and Ireland, 1801	4 23 6	33 5	35 35	22 55	10 44	5
3 S		4 54 6	33 5	36 36	22 49	11 40	6
4 D	2 Sun. after Christmas	5 20 6	34 5	37 22	22 42	morn.	7
5 M	Moon south 6h 58m e	5 47 6	34 5	37 22	22 36	0 35	8
6 T	Epiph. Twelfth Day	6 14 6	34 5	38 22	22 29	1 28	9
7 W	[Old Christmas Day	6 29 6	34 5	39 22	22 21	2 21	10
8 Th		7 5 6	35 5	39 22	22 13	3 12	11
9 F	P. Roy. d. by fire 1703	7 30 6	35 5	40 22	22 5	4 3	12
10 S	Saturn sets 7h 44m e	7 54 6	35 5	41 21	21 56	4 52	13
11 D	1 Sun. after Epiphany	8 18 6	35 5	41 21	21 47	5 39	14
12 M	Plow Monday	8 41 6	35 5	42 21	21 38	rises.	15
13 T		9 4 6	35 5	42 21	21 28	6 a 51	16
14 W	Venus sets 8h 57m e	9 26 6	36 5	43 21	21 17	7 38	17
15 Th	Mars sets 11h 27m e	9 48 6	36 5	44 21	21 6	8 26	18
16 F		10 7 6	36 5	44 21	21 55	9 14	19
17 S	Moon south 3h 28m m	10 27 6	36 5	45 20	20 43	10 2	20
18 D	2 Sun. after Epiphany	10 48 6	36 5	45 20	20 31	10 53	21
19 M	Old Twelfth Day	11 5 6	36 5	46 20	20 17	11 44	22
20 T	First general assembly	11 23 6	36 5	47 20	20 5	morn.	23
21 W	[met, 1664	11 39 6	36 5	47 19	20 52	0 40	24
22 Th	Mr. Pitt died, 1806	11 56 6	36 5	48 19	20 39	1 36	25
23 F	Mercury rises 5h 0m m	12 11 6	36 5	48 19	20 25	2 34	26
24 S		12 26 6	36 5	49 19	20 10	3 36	27
25 D	3 Sun. after Epiphany	12 40 6	36 5	50 18	20 56	4 36	28
26 M		12 54 6	36 5	50 18	20 41	5 34	29
27 T	Rigel south 8h 41m e	13 7 6	35 5	51 18	20 25	sets.	0
28 W	Sirius south 10h 9m n	13 18 6	35 5	52 18	20 10	7 a 26	1
29 Th	Jupiter sets 11h 48m n	13 29 6	35 5	52 17	20 53	8 27	2
30 F	King Chas. I. martyr.	13 38 6	35 5	53 17	20 37	9 27	3
31 S		13 47 6	35 5	54 17	20 20	10 24	4

## FEBRUARY—SECOND MONTH—XXVIII DAYS.

## PHASES OF THE MOON.



First Quarter, 2d day, 4min. past 12, night  
 Full Moon, 11th day, 5 min. past 4, morn.  
 Last Quarter, 18th day, 37min. past 11, night  
 New Moon, 25th day, 25min. past 2, aftn.

SUN enters PISCES 18th, at 7h P.M.

Day of Month.	Particular Days. Notices of Planets, &c.	Equat. of time. Add.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun's Dec. south.	Moon rises & sets.	D's Age.
		m. s.	h m.	h. m.	° '	h. m.	d.
1 D	4 Sun. after Epiphany	13 55	6 34	5 54	17 3	11 a 21	5
2 M	Candlemas Day	14 4	6 34	5 54	16 47	morn.	6
3 T	Moon vertical at 6h	14 9	6 34	5 55	16 30	0 15	7
4 W	[31m evening]	14 15	6 34	5 55	16 11	1 8	8
5 Th		14 20	6 33	5 56	15 53	1 58	9
6 F	Rigel south 8h 1m e	14 24	6 33	5 56	15 35	2 50	10
7 S		14 27	6 33	5 57	15 16	3 37	11
8 D	Septuagesima Sunday	14 29	6 33	5 57	14 57	4 23	12
9 M	Moon vert. 10h night	14 31	6 32	5 57	14 38	5 5	13
10 T	Q. Vic. mar. 1840	14 32	6 32	5 58	14 19	5 45	14
11 W	Bish. Lipscomb, arriv.	14 32	6 31	5 58	13 59	rises.	15
12 Th	[1825]	14 32	6 31	5 58	13 38	7 a 12	16
13 F		14 31	6 30	5 59	13 18	8 0	17
14 S	St. Valen. Old Can. D.	14 28	6 30	5 59	13 0	8 49	18
15 D	Sexagesima Sunday	14 25	6 29	5 59	12 38	9 39	19
16 M	Mars and Jupiter tog.	14 21	6 28	6 0	12 18	10 33	20
17 T	Moon sou. 4h 28m m	14 16	6 28	6 0	11 57	11 27	21
18 W	Found. st. of new gen.	14 11	6 27	6 1	11 36	morn.	22
19 Th	[Penitentiary l. 1844.	14 6	6 27	6 1	11 15	0 25	23
20 F	Jam. Royal Agri. Soc.	14 0	6 26	6 2	10 53	1 22	24
21 S	[establ. 1844]	13 52	6 25	6 2	10 31	2 21	25
22 D	Shrove Sunday	13 44	6 25	6 3	10 9	3 19	26
23 M	[Duke of Camb. b.	13 36	6 24	6 3	9 48	4 13	27
24 T	Shrove Tuesday	13 27	6 23	6 3	9 24	5 7	28
25 W	Ash Wednesday	13 18	6 23	6 4	9 2	sets.	29
26 Th	Venus sets 6h 31m e	13 8	6 22	6 4	8 39	7 a 8	1
27 F	Jupiter sets 10h 11m n	12 58	6 22	6 5	8 17	8 8	2
28 S	Mars sets 10h 37m n	12 47	6 21	6 5	7 54	9 5	3



## MARCH—THIRD MONTH—XXXI DAYS.

## PHASES OF THE MOON.



First Quarter, 4th day, 25min. past 5, aftn.  
Full Moon, 12th day, 42min. past 9, night  
Last Quarter, 20th day, 51min. past 8, morn.  
New Moon, 27th day, 16min. before 1, morn.

SUN enters ARIES 20th, 7h. P.M.

Day of Month.	Particular Days. Notices of Planets. &c.	Equat. of time. Add.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun's Dec. south.	Moon rises & sets.	D's Age.
1 D	1 Sunday in Lent	m. s. h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	° ' "	h. m.	d.
2 M	[Great Comet 1843]	12 35 6	20 6	5 7	31 10 a	2 4	
3 T	Moon vert. 5h e	12 23 6	19 6	6 7	9 11	58 5	
4 W	Ember Week	12 10 6	19 6	6 6	46 11	51 6	
5 Th		11 56 6	18 6	6 6	23 morn.	7	
6 F	Moon vert. 7h 41m e	11 42 6	17 6	6 6	0 0	43 8	
7 S		11 28 6	17 6	7 5	37 1	32 9	
		11 14 6	16 6	7 5	13 2	19 10	
8 D	2 Sunday in Lent	10 58 6	15 6	7 4	50 3	2 11	
9 M	Rigel south 6h 0m e	10 44 6	14 6	7 4	27 3	44 12	
10 T	Sirius south 7h 27m e	10 28 6	13 6	7 4	3 4	24 13	
11 W	The Cross sou. 1h m	10 13 6	13 6	8 3	40 5	2 14	
12 Th		9 56 6	12 6	8 3	16 rises.	15	
13 F		9 39 6	11 6	8 2	52 6 a	46 16	
14 S	Moon south 1h m	9 21 6	11 6	9 2	29 7	36 17	
15 D	3 Sunday in Lent	9 46 6	10 6	9 2	5 8	28 18	
16 M	Venus rises 4h 42m m	8 47 6	9 6	9 1	41 9	22 19	
17 T	St. Patrick	8 29 6	9 6	9 1	18 10	18 20	
18 W		8 12 6	8 6	10 0	54 11	14 21	
19 Th	Moon south 5h m	7 54 6	7 6	10 0	30 morn.	22	
20 F	Jupiter sets 9h 6m e	7 36 6	7 6	10 0	7 0	13 23	
21 S		7 18 6	6 6	10 0	N17 1	8 24	
22 D	4 Sunday in Lent	6 59 6	5 6	10 0	40 2	2 25	
23 M	Sirius south 6h 35m e	6 41 6	4 6	10 1	4 2	55 26	
24 T		6 23 6	3 6	10 1	28 3	45 27	
25 W	Lady Day	6 46 6	2 6	11 1	52 4	33 28	
26 Th	Prince Geo. Wm. born	5 46 6	1 6	11 2	15 5	18 29	
27 F	Recruits of 2d W. I.	5 28 6	0 6	11 2	38 sets.	0	
28 S	[regt. mut. 1808]	5 9 6	0 6	11 3	2 7 a	45 1	
29 D	5 Sunday in Lent	4 51 5	59 6	11 3	26 8	42 2	
30 M	Venus rises 3h 54m m	4 33 5	58 6	11 3	49 9	38 3	
31 T	Mer. sets 7h 32m e	4 14 5	57 6	11 4	12 10	32 4	

## APRIL—FOURTH MONTH—XXX DAYS.

## PHASES OF THE MOON.



First Quarter, 3d day, 55min. before 1, aftn.  
 Full Moon, 11th day, 12min. before 1, aftn.  
 Last Quarter, 18th day, 19min. past 3, aftn.  
 New Moon, 25th day, 43min. past 11, foren.

SUN enters TAURUS 20th, at 7h. A.M.

Day of Month	Particular Days. Notices of Planets. &c.	Equat. of time. Add.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun's Dec. north.	Moon rises & sets.	D's Age.
1 W	Martial law, 1805	m. s. h. m.	h. m.	o ' h. m.	d.		
2 Th	Found. st. of M. Point	3 56 5	5 56 6	12 4 35	11 a 23	5	
3 F	[light-house laid, 1842	3 38 5	5 55 6	12 4 58	morn.	6	
4 S	Bish. Lipscomb d. 1843	3 19 5	5 54 6	12 5 21	0 11	7	
		3 25 5	5 53 6	13 5 44	0 57	8	
5 D	Palm Sunday	2 44 5	5 53 6	13 6 7	1 40	9	
6 M	Old Lady Day	2 27 5	5 52 6	13 6 29	2 22	10	
7 T	Mercury sets 7h 22m e	2 9 5	5 51 6	14 6 52	3 1	11	
8 W	Peace with U. S., 1784	1 52 5	5 51 6	14 7 15	3 38	12	
9 Th	Maunday Thursday	1 35 5	5 50 6	14 7 38	4 16	13	
10 F	Good Friday.	1 18 5	5 49 6	14 7 59	4 55	14	
11 S		1 15 5	5 48 6	15 8 21	rises.	15	
12 D	East. S. Rodney's vic.	0 45 5	5 48 6	15 8 43	7 a 16	16	
13 M	Easter Monday [1782	0 29 5	5 47 6	15 9 5	8 12	17	
14 T	Easter Tuesday	0 14 5	5 47 6	15 9 27	9 11	18	
15 W		0 sub 1	5 46 6	16 9 49	10 7	19	
16 Th	Moon south 4h m	0 16 5	5 45 6	16 10 10	11 5	20	
17 F	Franklin died, 1790.	0 30 5	5 45 6	16 10 31	11 59	21	
18 S	American Rev. 1775	0 44 5	5 44 6	16 10 52	morn.	22	
19 D	Low Sunday.	0 58 5	5 43 6	17 11 13	0 50	23	
20 M		1 12 5	5 43 6	17 11 33	1 39	24	
21 T	The Cross due south	1 24 5	5 42 6	17 11 53	2 27	25	
22 W	[10h 21m n	1 36 5	5 41 6	17 12 14	3 13	26	
23 Th	St. George	1 48 5	5 40 6	18 12 34	3 57	27	
24 F		1 59 5	5 39 6	18 12 53	4 42	28	
25 S		2 10 5	5 39 6	18 13 13	sets.	29	
26 D	2 Sunday after Easter	2 21 5	5 38 6	18 13 33	7 a 24	1	
27 M		2 31 5	5 37 6	19 13 52	8 19	2	
28 T	Mars sets 9h 36m e	2 40 5	5 36 6	19 14 11	9 14	3	
29 W		2 49 5	5 36 6	19 14 30	10 4	4	
30 Th	Venus rises 3h 6m m	2 58 5	5 35 6	19 14 49	10 51	5	

## MAY—FIFTH MONTH—XXXI DAYS.

## PHASES OF THE MOON.



First Quarter, 3d day, 47min. past 6, morn.  
 Full Moon, 11th day, 1min. past 1, morn.  
 Last Quarter, 17th day, 22min. past 8, aftn.  
 New Moon, 24th day, 39min. past 11, night.  
 SUN enters GEMINI 21st, at 7h. A.M.

Day of Month.	Particular Days. Notices of Planets. &c.	Equal. of time. Sub.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun's Dec. north.	Moon rises & sets.	D's Age.
		m. s.	h. m.	h. m.	° '	h. m.	d.
1 F		3	5 35	6 20	15 6	11 a 36	6
2 S	Antares sou. 1h 40m m	3	12 5	34 6	20 15	25 morn.	7
3 D	3 Sunday after Easter.	3	17 5	34 6	20 15	42 0	17 8
4 M	amaica discovered by [Columbus, 1494	3	24 5	33 6	20 16	0 0	56 9
5 T		3	29 5	32 6	21 16	17 1	34 10
6 W	Bonaparte died, 1821	3	34 5	32 6	21 16	34 2	12 11
7 Th	Mer. rises 4h 21m m	3	39 5	31 6	21 16	51 2	51 12
8 F		3	43 5	31 6	22 17	7 3	29 13
9 S	Moon south 11h n	3	47 5	30 6	22 17	23 4	12 14
10 D	4 Sunday after Easter	3	49 5	30 6	22 17	33 4	56 15
11 M	Sun vertical at noon	3	51 5	29 6	23 17	54 rises.	16
12 T	Venus rises 3h 0m m	3	53 5	29 6	23 18	10 8	a 0 17
13 W	Old May Day	3	54 5	29 6	23 18	25 8	57 18
14 Th	Moon sou. 2h 47m m	3	55 5	28 6	24 18	40 9	55 19
15 F	Col. Bank estab. 1837	3	55 5	28 6	24 18	54 10	49 20
16 S	Gt. fire Kingston, 1780	3	55 5	27 6	24 19	8 11	39 21
17 D	Rogation Sunday	3	54 5	27 6	25 19	22 morn.	22
18 M	The Cross sou. 8h 35m e	3	52 5	27 6	25 19	35 0	25 23
19 T		3	49 5	26 6	26 19	48 1	9 24
20 W	Mercury rises 4h 5m m	3	46 5	26 6	26 20	1 1	54 25
21 Th	Ascen. Holy Thurs.	3	43 5	26 6	27 20	13 2	38 26
22 F		3	39 5	26 6	27 20	26 3	24 27
23 S		3	34 5	25 6	28 20	37 4	10 28
24 D	Sunday after Ascension	3	29 5	25 6	28 20	48 sets.	29
25 M	[Queen Vic. b. 1819	3	24 5	25 6	28 20	59 7	a 2 1
26 T		3	18 5	25 6	29 21	10 7	53 2
27 W	Pr. Geo. Fred. b.	3	11 5	25 6	29 21	20 8	43 3
28 Th		3	4 5	24 6	29 21	30 9	30 4
29 F		3	50 5	24 6	30 21	39 10	12 5
30 S		3	48 5	24 6	30 21	49 10	53 6
31 M		3	40 5	24 6	30 21	58 11	31 7

## JUNE—SIXTH MONTH—XXX DAYS.

## PHASES OF THE MOON.



First Quarter, 1st day, 23min. past 12, night  
 Full Moon, 9th day, 29min. past 10, morn.  
 Last Quarter, 16th day, 30min. past 1, morn.  
 New Moon, 23d day, 19min. before 1, aftn.

SUN enters CANCER 21st, at 3h. P.M.

Day of Month.	Particular Days. Notices of Planets. &c.	Equat. of time. Sub.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun's Dec. north.	Moon rises & sets.	D's Age.
		m. s.	h. m.	h. m.	° '	h. m.	d.
1 M	Whit Monday.	2 30	5 24	6 30	22 4	morn.	8
2 T	Whit Tuesday.	2 20	5 24	6 31	22 13	0 9	9
3 W	Ember Week.	2 13	5 24	6 31	22 20	0 46	10
4 Th	Moon south 8h 4m e	2 25	5 24	6 31	22 27	1 25	11
5 F	K.of Han. b. [Civil	1 52	5 24	6 31	22 34	2 5	12
6 S	[gov. com. 1661	1 42	5 24	6 32	22 40	2 46	13
7 D	Trinity Sunday [Port	1 32	5 25	6 32	22 47	3 32	14
8 M	[Royal des. by earth	1 20	5 25	6 32	22 53	4 23	15
9 T	[quake 1692	1 9	5 25	6 32	22 58	rises,	16
10 W	[Countess of Elgin	0 57	5 25	6 33	23 1	7 a 44	17
11 Th	[died 1843	0 45	5 25	6 33	23 5	8 40	18
12 F		0 33	5 26	6 33	23 9	9 33	19
13 S	Moon south 3h 30m m	0 20	5 26	6 33	23 13	10 22	20
14 D	1 Sunday after Trinity	0 8	5 26	6 34	23 16	11 9	21
15 M	America dec. war 1812	0 a 4	5 26	6 34	23 19	11 54	22
16 T	Venus rises 2h 45m m	0 16	5 27	6 34	23 22	morn.	23
17 W	John Wesley b. 1703	0 29	5 27	6 34	23 24	0 38	24
18 Th	Battle of Waterloo 1815	0 42	5 27	6 35	23 25	1 23	25
19 F		0 55	5 27	6 35	23 26	2 8	26
20 S	Q. Vic. accession, 1837	1 8	5 27	6 35	23 27	2 54	27
21 D	2 Sunday after Trinity	1 21	5 28	6 35	23 27	3 41	28
22 M	[Q. Vic. procl. 1837	1 35	5 28	6 36	23 27	4 31	29
23 T		1 48	5 28	6 36	23 27	sets.	0
24 W	Midsummer Day	2 2	5 28	6 36	23 26	7 a 25	1
25 Th		2 14	5 28	6 36	23 25	8 8	2
26 F	Geo. 4th d. 1830	2 27	5 29	6 36	23 23	8 50	3
27 S	Mercury sets 7h 17m e	2 39	5 29	6 37	23 21	9 30	4
28 D	3 Sunday after Trinity	2 51	5 29	6 37	23 18	10 8	5
29 M	[Q. Vic. cr. 1838	3 4	5 29	6 37	23 15	10 45	6
30 T	Moon south 5h 13m e	3 16	5 29	6 37	23 12	11 43	7

## JULY—SEVENTH MONTH—XXXI DAYS.

## PHASES OF THE MOON.



First Quarter, 1st day, 17min. past 4, aftn.  
 Full Moon, 8th day, 4min. past 6, aftn.  
 Last Quarter, 15th day, 17min. past 8, morn.  
 New Moon, 23d day, 55min. past 2, morn.

SUN enters LEO 23d, at 3h. A.M.

Day of Month.	Particular Days. Notices of Planets. §c.	Equat. of time. Add.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun's Dec. north.	Moon rises & sets.	D's Age.
		m. s.	h. m.	h. m.	° ' "	h. m.	d.
1 W	Planter's Bnk est 1839	3 28	5 30	6 38	23 7	11 a 59	8
2 Th	U.S. dec. indep. 1776	3 39	5 30	6 38	23 3	morn.	9
3 F	Dog Days begin	3 50	5 30	6 38	22 58	0 41	10
4 S		4 15	5 30	6 38	22 52	1 24	11
5 D	4 Sun. after Trin.	4 12	5 31	6 38	22 48	2 11	12
6 M	Old Midsummer Day	4 22	5 31	6 38	22 42	3 2	13
7 T		4 32	5 31	6 38	22 36	4 0	14
8 W	Moon south midnight	4 41	5 32	6 38	22 29	rises.	15
9 Th	Antares sou. 9h 12m a	4 50	5 32	6 38	22 22	7 a 21	16
10 F	Venus rises 2h 50m m	4 59	5 32	6 38	22 15	8 13	17
11 S	Jupiter rises 2h 33m m	5 7	5 32	6 38	22 7	9 3	18
12 D	5 Sunday after Trinity	5 15	5 32	6 38	21 59	9 52	19
13 M	Saturn rises 9h 3m a	5 23	5 33	6 37	21 50	10 38	20
14 T		5 29	5 33	6 37	21 41	11 22	21
15 W		5 36	5 33	6 37	21 32	morn.	22
16 Th	Mercury sets 8h 10m a	5 41	5 34	6 37	21 23	0 7	23
17 F	Antares sou. 8h 40m a	5 47	5 34	6 37	21 13	0 53	24
18 S		5 52	5 35	6 37	21 2	1 40	25
19 D	6 Sun. after Trin. Prs.	5 57	5 35	6 36	20 52	2 28	26
20 M	[A. Cam. b.	6 15	5 35	6 36	20 41	3 18	27
21 T	Union with Scotland	6 35	5 35	6 36	20 30	4 7	28
22 W	[1706	6 6	5 36	6 36	20 18	4 57	29
23 Th	Virgin Spike sets 11	6 8	5 36	6 36	20 5	sets.	0
24 F	[o'clock night	6 10	5 36	6 36	19 53	7 a 29	1
25 S	Duch. Cam. b.	6 11	5 37	6 35	19 40	8 7	2
26 D	7 Sunday after Trinity	6 12	5 37	6 35	19 27	8 45	3
27 M	Mercury sets 8h 7m a	6 12	5 37	6 35	19 13	9 22	4
28 T	Venus rises 3h 5m m	6 12	5 38	6 34	19 0	10 0	5
29 W	Jupiter rises 1h 36m m	6 10	5 38	6 34	18 46	10 38	6
30 Th	Moon south 5h 1m a	6 9	5 38	6 34	18 31	11 18	7
31 F	Sun overhead at noon	6 6	5 39	6 33	18 16	12 2	8

## AUGUST—EIGHTH MONTH—XXXI DAYS.



## PHASES OF THE MOON.

Full Moon, 7th day, 7min. before 1, morn.  
 Last Quarter, 13th day, 44min. past 10, aftn.  
 New Moon, 21st day, 18 min. past 6, aftn.  
 First Quarter, 29th day, 12min. past 5, aftn.

Sun enters VIRGO 23d, at 9h. A.M.

Day of Month.	Particular Days. Notices of Planets. &c.	Equat. of time. Add.		Sun rises.		Sun sets.		Sun's Dec. north.		Moon rises & sets.		D's Age.
		m.	s.	h.	m.	h.	m.	°	'	h.	m.	d.
1 S	Bat. of the Nile, 1798	6	3	5	39	6	33	18	1	morn.		9
2 D	8 Sunday after Trinity	5	59	5	39	6	33	17	46	0	51	10
3 M	Mercury sets. 7h 56m a	5	55	5	39	6	32	17	30	1	45	11
4 T	Moon south 9h 32m e	5	50	5	40	6	32	17	14	2	42	12
5 W		5	44	5	40	6	31	16	58	3	43	13
6 Th	Pr. Alfred b.	5	38	5	41	6	30	16	41	4	47	14
7 F		5	30	5	41	6	30	16	25	rises.		15
8 S	Antares south 7h 14m a	5	23	5	41	6	29	16	8	7 a	42	16
9 D	9 Sunday after Trinity	5	15	5	42	6	29	15	50	8	30	17
10 M		5	6	5	42	6	28	15	34	9	17	18
11 T	Dog Days end	4	57	5	43	6	27	15	16	10	3	19
12 W	Venus rises 3h 23m m	4	47	5	43	6	27	14	57	10	51	20
13 Th	Q. Dowager born 1792	4	37	5	43	6	26	14	39	11	37	21
14 F		4	26	5	44	6	25	14	20	morn.		22
15 S	Assumption	4	15	5	44	6	25	14	2	0	26	23
16 D	10 Sunday after Trinity	4	3	5	44	6	24	13	44	1	14	24
17 M	Duch. of Kent b.	3	50	5	45	6	23	13	25	2	5	25
18 T	Saturn rises 6h 30m a	3	39	5	45	6	23	13	5	2	54	26
19 W	Antares sets 11h 56m a	3	25	5	45	6	22	12	46	3	44	27
20 Th	Fomalhaut sou. 1h m	3	11	5	45	6	21	12	26	4	33	28
21 F		2	57	5	45	6	21	12	6	sets.		29
22 S	Great storm, 1732	2	43	5	45	6	20	11	46	6 a	46	1
23 D	11 Sunday after Trinity	2	27	5	45	6	19	11	26	7	23	2
24 M		2	12	5	45	6	18	11	6	8	1	3
25 T		1	56	5	46	6	18	10	45	8	39	4
26 W	Pr. Albert b. 1819. Gr	1	39	5	46	6	17	10	25	9	18	5
27 Th	Fire, Kingston, 1843	1	23	5	46	6	16	10	4	10	0	6
28 F	Great Storm, 1712	1	5	5	46	6	16	9	42	10	47	7
29 S		0	48	5	46	6	15	9	20	11	36	8
30 D	12 Sunday after Trinity	0	30	5	46	6	14	8	59	morn.		9
31 M	Moon south 7h 17m a	0	12	5	46	6	14	8	37	0	31	10

## SEPTEMBER—NINTH MONTH—XXX DAYS.



## PHASES OF THE MOON.

Full Moon, 5th day, 9min. past 8, morn.  
 Last Quarter, 12th day, 35min. past 6 aftn.  
 New Moon, 20th day, 27min. past 10, morn.  
 First Quarter, 28th day, 20m. past 2, morn.

SUN enters LIBRA 23d, at 5h. A.M.

Day of Month.	Particular Days. Notices of Planets. &c.	Equat. of time. Sub.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun's Dec. north.	Moon rises & sets.	D's Age.
1 T		m. s. h. m. h. m.	0 7 5 47 6 13	8 17	h. m. d.	1m 28 11	
2 W	Lond. burnt 1666 O.S.	0 26 5 47 6 13	7 54	2 28	12		
3 Th	Moon sou. 10h 12m a	0 45 5 47 6 12	7 32	3 32	13		
4 F	Mercury rises 4h 44m m	1 5 5 47 6 11	7 10	4 35	14		
5 S	[Bank of Jamaica 1836	1 25 5 48 6 10	6 47	rises.	15		
6 D	13 Sunday after Trinity	1 45 5 48 6 9	6 25	7 a 5	16		
7 M		2 5 5 48 6 8	6 2	7 54	17		
8 T		2 26 5 48 6 8	5 40	8 41	18		
9 W		2 46 5 48 6 7	5 17	9 31	19		
10 Th	Mercury ris. 4b 32m m	3 7 5 48 6 6	4 45	10 19	20		
11 F	Moon overhead 5h m	3 27 5 49 6 5	4 32	11 10	21		
12 S	Venus rises 4h 8m m	3 48 5 49 6 4	4 9	11 59	22		
13 D	14 Sunday after Trinity	4 10 5 49 6 3	3 46	morn.	23		
14 M	Mr. Fox died, 1806	4 30 5 49 6 2	3 23	0 51	24		
15 T	Saturn sou. 10h 16m a	4 52 5 49 6 1	3 0	1 40	25		
16 W	Ember Week	5 13 5 49 6 0	2 37	2 30	26		
17 Th		5 34 5 49 6 0	2 13	3 18	27		
18 F	K. Geo I. & II. landed	5 55 5 49 5 59	1 50	4 6	28		
19 S	Sirius rises 1h m	6 16 5 49 5 58	1 27	4 54	29		
20 D	15 Sunday after Trinity	6 37 5 49 5 57	1 4	sets.	0		
21 M		6 57 5 50 5 56	0 40	6 a 39	1		
22 T	Jupiter rises 10h 22m a	7 19 5 50 5 56	0 17	7 20	2		
23 W		7 40 5 50 5 55	0 56	8 1	3		
24 Th	Venus rises 4h 24m m	8 0 5 50 5 54	0 29	8 45	4		
25 F		8 20 5 50 5 53	0 53	9 33	5		
26 S		8 40 5 51 5 52	1 16	10 25	6		
27 D	16 Sunday after Trinity	9 0 5 51 5 51	1 40	11 20	7		
28 M	Moon south 6h 5m a	9 21 5 51 5 50	2 3	morn.	8		
29 T	Michaelmas Day	9 41 5 51 5 49	2 27	0 18	9		
30 W		10 0 5 51 5 48	2 50	1 18	10		

## OCTOBER—TENTH MONTH—XXXI DAYS.



## PHASES OF THE MOON.

Full Moon, 4th day, 59min. past 4, aftn.  
 Last Quarter, 11th day, 1min. past 11, night  
 New Moon, 20th day, 37min. past 2, morn.  
 First Quarter, 27th day, 3min. past 10, morn.

SUN enters SCORPIO 23d, at 2h. P.M.

Day of Month.	Particular Days. Notices of Planets. &c.	Equat. of time. Sub.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun's Dec. south.	Moon rises & sets.	D's Age.
		m. s. h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	° ' "	h. m.	d.
1 Th		10 19 5	52 5	48	3 13	2 m 19	11
2 F	Moon south 9h 48m a	10 38 5	52 5	47	3 37	3 20	12
3 S	Saturn south 9h 2m a	10 57 5	52 5	46	4 0	4 21	13
4 D	17 Sunday after Trinity	11 15 5	52 5	45	4 23	rises.	14
5 M	Venus rises 4h 38m m	11 33 5	52 5	45	4 47	6 a 30	15
6 T	Louis Philippe b. 1773	11 51 5	52 5	44	5 10	7 19	16
7 W	Jupiter rises 9h 24m a	12 8 5	53 5	43	5 33	8 8	17
8 Th	Moon overhead 2h m	12 25 5	53 5	45	5 56	9 1	18
9 F		12 41 5	53 5	42	6 19	9 52	19
10 S		12 58 5	53 5	41	6 42	10 44	20
11 D	18 Sunday after Trinity	13 13 5	54 5	41	7 4	11 35	21
12 M	[Old Michaelmas Day	13 27 5	54 5	40	7 27	morn.	22
13 T	Trans. K. Ed. Conf.	13 41 5	54 5	39	7 43	0 24	23
14 W	Mars rises 5h 6m m	13 55 5	55 5	38	8 12	1 13	24
15 Th	Venus rises 4h 48m m	14 9 5	55 5	37	8 34	2 1	25
16 F	Sirius rises 20m past	14 22 5	55 5	37	8 57	2 48	26
17 S	[11 n	14 34 5	56 5	36	9 19	3 35	27
18 D	19 Sunday after Trinity	14 45 5	56 5	35	9 40	4 23	28
19 M	[Great storm, 1815	14 56 5	56 5	34	10 1	5 14	29
20 T	Saturn sou. 7h 53m a	15 7 5	57 5	34	10 23	sets.	0
21 W	Bat. of Trafalgar, 1805	15 16 5	57 5	33	10 44	6 a 43	1
22 Th	Jupiter rises 8h 23m a	15 25 5	57 5	33	11 6	7 31	2
23 F		15 33 5	58 5	32	11 27	8 22	3
24 S	Mars rises 4h 53m m	15 41 5	58 5	31	11 49	9 16	4
25 D	20 Sunday after Trinity	15 48 5	58 5	31	12 9	10 12	5
26 M		15 54 5	59 5	30	12 29	11 11	6
27 T	Moon south 5h 51m a	16 0 5	59 5	30	12 49	morn.	7
28 W		16 4 5	0 5	29	13 9	0 11	8
29 Th	Saturn sou. 7h 17m a	16 8 5	0 5	29	13 29	1 10	9
30 F		16 11 5	0 5	28	13 49	2 9	10
31 S	Venus rises 5h 13m m	16 14 5	0 5	28	14 9	3 8	11



## NOVEMBER—ELEVENTH MONTH—XXX DAYS.

## PHASES OF THE MOON.



Full Moon, 3d day, 4min. past 4, morn.  
 Last Quarter, 10th day, 37min. past 6, aftn.  
 New Moon, 18th day, 53min. past 5, aftn.  
 First Quarter, 25th day, 24min. past 5, aftn.

SUN enters SAGITTARIUS 22d, at 11h. A.M.

Day of Month.	Particular Days. Notices of Planets. &c.	Equat. of time. Sub.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun's Dec. south.	Moon rises & sets.	D's Age.
1 D	21 Sun. after Trin.	m. s.	h. m.	h. m.	° '	h. m.	d.
2 M		16 15	6 15	27 14	28	4 m 6	12
3 T	Prs. Sophia, born	16 17	6 25	26 15	7	rises.	14
4 W	Bishop Spencer, arriv.	16 16	6 25	26 15	26	6 a 46	15
5 Th	Gunpowder Plot [1843	16 15	6 35	25 15	44	7 39	16
6 F		16 13	6 35	25 16	2	8 32	17
7 S	Moon overhead 3h m	16 10	6 45	25 16	19	9 24	18
8 D	22 Sunday after Trinity	16 5	6 45	24 16	36	10 15	19
9 M	Pr. of Wales born 1841	16 1	6 55	24 16	54	11 5	20
10 T	[Lord Mayor's Day	15 55	6 55	23 17	11	11 54	21
11 W	Sev. earthquake, 1812	15 49	6 65	23 17	28	morn.	22
12 Th	Saturn south 6h 22m a	15 41	6 65	23 17	44	0 42	23
13 F		15 32	6 75	23 18	0	1 29	24
14 S		15 22	6 75	22 18	16	2 17	25
15 D	23 Sun. aft. Trinity	15 12	6 85	22 18	32	3 5	26
16 M	Mercury sets 6h 39m a	15 1	6 85	22 18	47	3 56	27
17 T		14 50	6 95	22 19	3	4 48	28
18 W		14 37	6 95	22 19	16	sets.	29
19 Th	Gov. Effingham d 1791	14 23	6 105	22 19	30	6 a 14	1
20 F	Edm. King & Mart.	14 9	6 105	22 19	44	7 10	2
21 S	Princess Royal b. 1840	13 54	6 115	21 19	58	8 6	3
22 D	24 Sun. aft. Trinity	13 39	6 125	21 20	10	9 5	4
23 M	Old Mart. day	13 22	6 135	21 20	24	10 4	5
24 T	Moon sou. 4h 43m a	13 6	6 135	21 20	36	11 4	6
25 W		12 47	6 145	21 20	48	morn.	7
26 Th	Mercury sets 6h 46m a	12 28	6 155	21 21	0	0 3	8
27 F	Prs. Mary Adelaide b.	12 8	6 155	21 21	11	1 0	9
28 S	Jupiter rises 5h 41m a	11 48	6 165	21 21	21	1 57	10
29 D	Advent Sunday	11 27	6 165	21 21	31	2 55	11
30 M	St. Andrew	11 6	6 175	21 21	41	3 54	12

## DECEMBER—TWELFTH MONTH—XXXI DAYS.



## PHASES OF THE MOON.

Full Moon, 2d day, 39min. past 5, aftn.  
 Last Quarter, 10th day, 9min. past 4, aftn.  
 New Moon, 18th day, 35min. past 7, morn.  
 First Quarter, 25th day, 29min. past 1, morn.

SUN enters CAPRICORNUS 21st, at 11h. P.M.

Day of Month.	Particular Days, Notices of Planets, &c.	Equat. of time. Sub.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun's Dec. south.	Moon rises & sets.	D's Age.
		m. s.	h. m.	h. m.	° ' "	h. m.	d.
1 T	Moon overhead 11h a	10 42	6 17	5 22	21 50	4 m 48	13
2 W	Mercury sets 6h 35m a	10 19	6 18	5 22	22 0	rises.	14
3 Th		9 56	6 18	5 22	22 9	6 a 20	15
4 F	Saturn sets 10h 44m a	9 35	6 19	5 23	22 16	7 13	16
5 S	Moon overhead 1½h m	9 7	6 19	5 23	22 24	8 4	17
6 D	2 Sunday in Advent	8 42	6 20	5 23	22 32	8 56	18
7 M	Mars rises 4h 5m m	8 16	6 20	5 24	22 38	9 46	19
8 T		7 50	6 21	5 24	22 45	10 34	20
9 W	Jupiter rises 4h 57m a	7 23	6 22	5 24	22 51	11 22	21
10 Th	Canopus sou. midnight	6 56	6 22	5 25	22 56	morn.	22
11 F	Virgin's Spike rises 2	6 29	6 23	5 25	23 2	0 9	23
12 S	[o'clock morn.	6 1	6 23	5 25	23 6	0 57	24
13 D	3 Sunday in Advent	5 32	6 24	5 26	23 10	1 45	25
14 M	Moon south 8h 12m m	5 4	6 25	5 26	23 14	2 36	26
15 T	Washington died, 1799	4 34	6 25	5 26	23 18	3 28	27
16 W	Ember Week.	4 5	6 26	5 27	23 21	4 24	28
17 Th	Saturn sets 9h 56m a	3 36	6 27	5 27	23 23	5 22	29
18 F	Jupiter sets 5h 19m m	3 6	6 27	5 27	23 24	sets.	0
19 S	Mars rises 3h 55m m	2 36	6 28	5 28	23 26	6 a 54	1
20 D	4 Sunday in Advent	2 7	6 28	5 28	23 27	7 56	2
21 M		1 37	6 29	5 29	23 27	8 56	3
22 T	Mercury rises 5h 3m m	1 7	6 29	5 29	23 27	9 57	4
23 W		0 36	6 30	5 30	23 27	10 56	5
24 Th	Moon south 5h 16m a	0 6	6 30	5 30	23 26	11 54	6
25 F	Christmas Day	add 23	6 30	5 31	23 24		7
26 S		0 53	6 31	5 31	23 22	0 50	8
27 D		1 23	6 31	5 32	23 20	1 46	9
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## ASTRONOMICAL NOTICES,

FOR THE YEAR 1846.

## JANUARY.

At the beginning of this month the dull planet Saturn is to be seen near the western horizon soon after sun-set: a few degrees above him appears the splendid planet Venus, which cannot be mistaken, being brighter than any star in the wide canopy of heaven, and gives sensible shadows to objects: through a good telescope she exhibits the appearance of a beautiful crescent, like the moon, two or three days after the change. Mars has great altitude in the south-western part of the heavens in the evenings, and the brilliant planet Jupiter at the same time is to be seen nearly overhead. The moon is near Venus on the 1st day; near Mars on the 3rd and 4th; with Jupiter on the 5th, and with Venus again on the 29th and 30th. "The heavens declare the glory of God, and the firmament sheweth his handy work."

## FEBRUARY.

Venus is to be seen near the western horizon after sun-set: after the first week her lustre every evening will be sensibly diminishing. The ruddy orb of Mars appears near the bright and silvery one of Jupiter: these two planets are in conjunction on the 16th, beautifying the evening sky: the moon on the 1st and 2d is near them. The heavenly bo-

dies very strikingly exhibit the power and wisdom of the Deity.

“ He formed the stars, those heavenly flames,  
He counts their numbers, calls their names ;  
His wisdom’s vast, and knows no bound,  
A deep where all our thoughts are drowned.”

### MARCH.

At the end of this month the planet Mercury may be seen near the western horizon after the setting of the sun. Jupiter appears above him, and Mars still higher in the heavens. The moon is in the neighbourhood of Jupiter on the 1st, Mars on the 2d, Mercury on the 28th, and on the 29th the moon is with Jupiter again. The heavens demonstrate both to the savage and the sage the existence of a power which no created being can control.

“ View the amazing canopy !  
The wide, the wonderful expanse !  
Let each bold infidel agree,  
That God is there, unknown to chance.”

### APRIL.

Jupiter is to be seen at the beginning of the month, not far from the western horizon, after the bright orb of day has descended from view—Mercury appears below Jupiter, and Mars above him. Venus is now a very splendid object in the morning sky, “gilding the east with her bright circlet.”

“ How beautiful are ye, ye planets ; you  
That glitter in the sky ! E’en while I gaze  
Pleased on that sky, so beautifully blue,  
Where your soft beams in bright refulgence blaze,  
My restless soul, transported with the view,  
Longs, longs to mount, and mingle with your rays,  
High in the heavens, unmoved by worldly change,  
From orb to orb eternally to range.”

The great eclipse of the sun on the 25th, about noon, will entertain our readers.

### MAY.

Saturn appears in the south-east at the break of day; the splendid planet Venus nearly due east at that time. The moon is near Saturn on the 18th, and on the 20th and 21st near Venus.

The sun is a stupendous globe, surrounded by a luminous atmosphere, and enlightens all the planetary spheres that surround him. Mercury revolves around the sun in 88 days, Venus in 225 days, the earth in one year, Mars in one year and 322 days; Jupiter moves round the sun in about 12 years, Saturn in 30, and Uranus, or the Georgium Sidus, in about 84 of our years. Mercury is about one-fifteenth the size of the earth, Mars about one-seventh, and Venus is about the size of the earth. Georgium Sidus is 80 times larger than the earth; Saturn a thousand times; the planet Jupiter 1300 times; and the sun above a million times larger than the earth, the diameter of which is about seven thousand nine hundred miles, but that of the sun 890 thousand miles.

### JUNE.

Saturn is to be seen in the south at the break of day: Venus nearly east; and towards the end of the month Jupiter appears below Venus.

“By means of Astronomy,” observes a celebrated writer, “we are taught to discover the spring and fountain of all the celestial motions; to follow the footsteps of the Creator through the immense regions of his empire; and to trace the sacred causes by which he regulates the great machine of the universe.”

## JULY.

Venus and Jupiter are very beautiful in the mornings: they appear very near each other on the 6th, 7th, and 8th days. Mercury appears in the evening sky at the end of the month. Saturn rises at the beginning of the month about ten o'clock, and at the end about eight. The moon appears near Saturn on the 11th, near Jupiter on the 19th, and in the neighbourhood of Venus on the 20th.

“ Ye rolling orbs, wherefore so little known?  
Speak, speak, and say, what is it that you are:  
Are ye but chrystal pearls that stud the throne  
Of heaven's high King supreme? or is each star  
Filled with intelligence, and each alone  
A world of glory, and at distance far;  
Does every isle that gilds yon azure sea,  
With ceaseless warbling hymn the Deity?”

## AUGUST.

Mercury appears near the western horizon for a few evenings at the beginning of this month. The moon is full early in the morning of the 7th; and on the evening of that day rises soon after sun-set, accompanied with the planet Saturn. Saturn, with his ring, is now a fine object for the telescopic observer. The moon, marching through the heavens, comes into the neighbourhood of Jupiter on the 15th, and Venus on the 19th.

## SEPTEMBER.

The beautiful planet Venus, and the fickle little planet Mercury, appear near each other about the middle of the month. They are to be seen near the eastern horizon about an hour before sun-rise. Jupiter rises with splendour about midnight at the commencement of the month, and at its termination

this beautiful star beams forth in the orient sky about ten o'clock. Saturn is to be seen in the evenings. The moon is near Saturn on the 4th, Jupiter on the 12th, and Venus and Mercury on the 19th. Note, Mercury will be very near Regulus (the Lion's Heart) on the morning of the 8th; and on the morning of the 14th Venus will appear very near the same star.

### OCTOBER.

Mars begins to appear in the mornings about the middle of the month: about the 20th he is very near Venus. The moon revolving round the earth, appears in the neighbourhood of Saturn on the 1st and 28th; on the 9th near Jupiter, and with Venus and Mars on the morning of the 19th. If to our observations of the planets of our system we add those of the various constellations of fixed stars, what sublime ideas we gain of the wisdom of the great Creator.

" In yon blue vault that bounds the sight,  
Millions of lustres ever bright,  
Forever sing and shine :  
Suns, planets, comets, moons, so clear,  
Time's bright chronometers appear,  
And speak the hand Divine "

### NOVEMBER.

Mercury appears following the sun in the evenings of the third week. Saturn is to be seen in the south soon after sun-set, and soon afterwards the stately orb of Jupiter ascends the eastern skies, who, with his belts and four moons, gives a glorious appearance through a proper telescope. The ruddy  
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on the 25th.

## DECEMBER.

Mercury, at the end of the month, appears in the mornings a considerable way below Mars. Saturn and Jupiter are evening stars; the latter, is particularly splendid during the principal part of the evening and night: on the 2d and 29th he appears in the neighbourhood of the moon.

"Astronomy," said the late Mr. Bonnycastle, "has opened to us such a magnificent view of the creation, that we are struck with astonishment at the grandeur of the spectacle, and the powers of Omnipotence. By looking abroad into the universe, we exalt our ideas of the Supreme Intelligence; and extend the narrow sphere of our own conceptions; the faculties are strengthened and improved; the understanding is enlarged; and the mind, in the contemplation of so many glorious objects, finds itself drawn to that Being, who informs, directs, and animates the whole."



A B S T R A C T  
OF  
THE HISTORY OF JAMAICA.

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JAMAICA lies between 17 deg. 39 min. and 18 deg. 36 min. North latitude, and between 76 deg. 3 min. and 78 deg. 34 min. West longitude. It is calculated to contain about 6400 square miles, or 4,080,000 acres. A range of mountains runs from east to west, occasionally rising to a considerable height, especially near the East end, where the Blue Mountain Peak is found to be about 7600 feet above the level of the sea. On the North side, the land rises into hills, often of remarkable beauty, and commonly separated from each other by spacious vales and romantic rivulets. On the South side, the face of the country is more irregular and craggy, and several ridges of less elevation are formed, running nearly parallel to the principal one. Extensive plains or savannahs extend from the bottom of the lowest range to the sea. Much of the soil, especially in the higher mountains, is unfit for cultivation, and probably not more than one half of the land which the island contains has yet been granted to individuals.

The principal rock of Jamaica is a white limestone, of a very recent formation. Some of an older date (Graywacke, &c.) are to be met with in the mountains, chiefly in the county of Surrey, and in the parish of St. Mary, in Middlesex, as well as a great variety of those rocks, (supposed of igneous origin,) known to Geologists under the general name of Traprocks. The remains of a volcano are distinctly to be found in the parish of St. George.

The climate is hot, and occasionally sultry, though, from its being an island, the thermometer is never observed to rise so high as on continents of similar

latitude. In the plain of Liguanea, about three miles from Kingston, and 212 feet above the level of the sea, the thermometer generally rises, during the warmest weather, to 89 or 90 deg. and during the cooler to about 85 deg.; it has been occasionally seen as high as 93 deg. and as low as 63 deg. The barometer kept at the same situation does not fluctuate during the year more than 2-10ths of an inch, say from 29, 80, to 30, 00, except on some particular occasions.

Among the mountains the temperature varies much, according to elevation and exposure. The meridian sun is every where felt oppressive by those who have not been long exposed to its influence.

The island was divided, by an act of the legislature, passed in 1758, into three counties—namely, Middlesex, Surrey, and Cornwall. In the first is established the Supreme Court of Judicature, and Assizes are held in the others.\* The counties were divided into parishes, of which, at that time, eight were allotted to Middlesex, seven to Surrey, and four to Cornwall. In the latter county, the parish of St. James being of great extent was divided in 1774, one of which received the name of Trelawny. Manchester, in Middlesex, was formed in 1814, from the adjoining parishes of Clarendon, Vere, and St. Elizabeth; and St. Thomas in the Vale, in 1834, was taken from the precinct of St. Catherine, and also forms part of Middlesex. By the 5th Vic. c. 44 (1841) the parish of Metcalfe was formed out of the western part of St. George and the eastern part of St. Mary, and added to the county of Surrey; and by cap. 8 of 8 Vic (1844) St. David was separated from the precinct of St. Thomas in the East, and also added to the county of Surrey.

\* Middlesex has now an Assize Court, the Courts of Justice of the Colony having been remodeled by 3 Victoria, cap. 65.

## HISTORICAL AND REMARKABLE EVENTS.

1492.

Christovallo Colon, or Christopher Columbus, a Genoese, under the patronage of Isabella of Spain, set sail from Palos, with three vessels and ninety men, on the 3d August. On the 11th October he discovered St. Salvador, one of the Bahama islands.

1494.

May 3. Jamaica discovered by Columbus, on his second voyage to the New World.

1503.

June. Columbus shipwrecked on the northern coast of the island during the prosecution of his fourth voyage, where he was compelled to remain twelve months.

1509.

First settlement by the Spaniards under Don Juan de Esquivel, lieutenant to Diego Columbus.

1523.

St. Jago de la Vega founded by Diego Columbus.

1525.

Thirty sugar mills established in the island.

1526.

St. Jago de la Vega plundered by sir Anthony Shirley.

1635.

Colonel Jackson, with 500 men, landed and beat the Spaniards at Passage-Fort.

Don Christopher Arnaldo Sasi governor.

1655.

May 3. The island taken by the English, under admiral Penn and general Venables, after an unsuccessful attempt upon St. Domingo. Venables, on his return to England, was severely reprimanded by the council, sent a prisoner to the Tower, and dismissed from all his employments. Penn was also committed to the same place. They were liberated by the protector, on making their submission.

Major-general Sedgewicke sent by Cromwell to command the army.

June 24. Sedgewicke died, and the command devolved on Colonel D'Oyley, who executed major Throgmorton for mutiny.

Dec. 14. General Brayne arrived with several transports, and assumed the command.

General Stokes, with sixteen hundred men from Nevis, arrived and settled near Port-Morant.

1657.

Sept. 2. Brayne died, and the command again devolved on colonel D'Oyley.

Don Christopher Arnaldo Sasi landed at the northside, with all the former inhabitants, amounting to about five hundred men, and a reinforcement of one thousand from Old Spain, and built a fort of some strength on a rocky eminence near the sea at Rio Nuevo, in St. Mary's.

1658.

June 22. D'Oyley, with five hundred picked men, attacked the fort, and completely routed the enemy.

Sept. 3. Cromwell died.

1660.

Don Sasi attacked and defeated by a detachment under colonel Tyson, on the northside, where he had posted himself on a hill with one hundred and thirty men. He ultimately escaped from the island in a canoe from a small bay, which retains the name of Runaway Bay.

Aug. 2. Conspiracy of the parliament men defeated by D'Oyley, at the head of the royalists, and colonels Raymond and Tyson shot.

Aug. 14. Arrival of a man of war, with the union jack at the mast head, which communicated intelligence of the Restoration, which had taken place on the 29th of the preceding May.

1661.

May 29. The Diamond and Rosebush frigates arrived, bringing a commission from Charles II. to D'Oyley, confirming him in the command of the island, with orders that the army should be immediately disbanded and settled throughout the country.

June 5. Military government ceased, colonel D'Oyley's commission proclaimed at Carreening Point (Caguaya); and that town has ever since borne the name of Port-Royal, to commemorate the event. A council of twelve members elected by the people; the island partially surveyed and divided into twelve districts, viz.:—St. David, St. Catherine, St. Andrew, St. John,

St. Thomas, St. George, St. Mary, St. Ann, St. James, St. Elizabeth, Port-Royal, Clarendon.

1662.

Aug. 11. Thomas Windsor Hickman, lord Windsor (afterwards earl of Plymouth), arrived as governor, with sir Charles Lyttleton as chancellor and deputy governor. A seal and mace for the island were brought by them.

D'Oyley ordered to England.

Sept. 10. A royal proclamation published which gave every encouragement to the planters, and granted patents of land in free succage, by which several persons obtained titles to six, eight, ten, or twenty thousand acres each. Sir Thomas Lynch came into possession of very extensive domains, and major Hope, with colonels Archbould and sir William Beeston, held the entire district of Liguanea between themselves.

Sept. 20. Lord Windsor fitted out an expedition of 1300 men and eleven sail of the line against St. Jago de Cuba, who took the fort, demolished the fortifications and the town, consisting of two thousand dwelling houses, which they razed to the ground. The loss sustained by the enemy was probably not more than half a million sterling.

Oct. 28. Lord Windsor sailed for England, leaving sir Charles Lyttleton as lieutenant-governor.

Fort-Charles erected.

1663.

Dec. The first general assembly summoned by sir Charles Lyttleton, and members returned

for the following places, viz. :—*Yakallah*, Robert Freeman, Richard Lloyd; *St. Jago*, Edward Waldron, Edward Mullens; *Old Harbour*, John Colebeck, Humphrey Freeman; *Angells*, Lewis Ashton; *Cugua*, W. Beeston, Samuel Long, Robert Byndloss; *Seven Plantations*, Anthony Collier; *Guanaboa*, William Clee, Thomas Freeman; *Withywood*, Richard Bryan; *Dry River*, Wm. Ivy; *Port Morant*, Southwell Atkins; *Northside*, Abraham Rutter.

1664.

Jan. 20. The assembly met at *St. Jago de la Vega*, and chose Robert Freeman as their speaker.

May 7. Sir Charles Lyttleton sailed for England, leaving colonel Thomas Lynch, president and commander in chief. Upon his arrival in England, he was desired to lay his observations before his majesty in council; and, amongst other remarks, he declared that the government was plain and easy, and was not truly, if he may have the liberty to say so, disagreeable; so were the laws, and their execution; neither merchant nor planter, that he knew of, the least dissatisfied; every cause being determined in six weeks, with thirty or forty shillings charges; that the acts of assembly were sent, and most humbly desired to be confirmed by his majesty; that the people were in general easy to be governed, yet apter to be led than driven.

May 19. Colonel Morgan, lieutenant to Sir Thomas Modyford, arrived, took possession of the government, and dissolved the assembly. (This was not the celebrated buccaneer.)

June 4. Sir Thomas Modyford, baronet, the governor, arrived, with two hundred planters of Barbados.

Oct. 14. The assembly met: Sir Thomas Whitestone chosen speaker, and Samuel Long clerk,

Nov. Captain Rutter, a member of assembly, killed by major Joy, of the council, at a dinner given by the members of assembly to the governor and council. The cause of dispute arose out of party feuds of the last session.

1668.

July 1. The buccaneers, under Morgan, took *Porto-Bello*.

1671.

July 15. Sir Thomas Lynch arrived as governor.

The revenue was now fixed; land at *Port-Royal*  $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per foot; savanna and cleared land 6d. per acre; liquor licence 40s. per annum; brandy and spirits 6d. per gallon; wines 4l. per tun; beer 30s. per tun; rum 40s. per tun; every ship 12d. per ton anchorage; foreigners double. These duties were applicable to the public uses of the island in the following proportion:—governor or commander in chief, 1000l.; lieutenant-governor, 400l.; major-general, 200l.; chief justice, 80l.; each judge, 20l.; his assistant, 10l. Collectors of the duties were nominated by the governor, and approved of by the council.

1675.

March 5. Sir Henry Morgan raised to the honour of knighthood for his brave attack on Panama, and having escaped shipwreck on the *Isle of Vache*, arrived as lieutenant-governor.

March 14. John lord Vaughan,

K.B. (eldest son of the earl of Carberry in Ireland, baron Vaughan in England), arrived as governor.

March 26. An assembly met, and passed twenty acts. They sat with several short adjournments, till the 26th July, when they were dissolved in haste, for endeavouring to bring on a new trial before the chief-justice, as he had petitioned, of one Brown, who had been condemned by the admiralty court to be hanged as a pirate.

Sept. 4. An assembly met, and passed several laws, eight of which the governor signed on the 28th, rejecting some few of little use, and that for the revenue, and then dissolved the house, leaving the island without any revenue.

1678.

April 28. The negroes mutinied, and killed, among many others, the wife of the attorney general.

July 19. The earl of Carlisle arrived as governor. His commission empowered him "to summon general assemblies of the freeholders and planters, within this island and other territories thereon depending, in such manner and form as had been formerly practised and used in the island; and to agree and consent to all laws, statutes, and ordinances for the public peace, welfare, and government of the island, &c.; which said laws being framed with the advice and consent of the council, should be transmitted to his majesty, to be by him approved and remitted back under the great seal of England; the said laws to be framed as near as conveniently

might be to the laws and statutes of England." A power was likewise given him, "upon invasion, rebellion, or any sudden emergency, to pass laws, with the consent of the assembly only, for raising money, and without transmitting such money bills to his majesty."

1680.

April 23. The governor ordered colonel Long to go to England, and wished others to do so, but forced none else.

May 7. The governor, fearing colonel Long would not go to England, committed him to prison.

May 27. The earl of Carlisle sailed for England, leaving sir Henry Morgan lieutenant-governor.

July 7. Col. Beeston, speaker of the last assembly, sailed for England.

Long and Beeston, after much vexatious treatment, finally carried their point, and returned to the island triumphantly. The first died on the 28th June, 1683, aged forty-five years, the other was subsequently governor for many years.

Sir Thomas Lynch governor for the second time, and empowered, "with the advice and consent of the council and assembly to frame such laws as should be conducive to his majesty's interest and agreeable to themselves." Several acts were therefore passed in the new style, *by the Governor, Council, and Assembly*, of which the long disputed revenue bill for seven years was one.

1684.

Colonel Helder Molesworth,

(afterwards baronet,) lieutenant-governor.

1687.

Duke of Albermarle governor.

1688.

Oct. 6. The duke of Albermarle died. Sir Francis Watson, as president, assumed the government.

1689.

June 3. A letter, dated 22d February, received from king William III. announcing that he had ordered lieutenant-governor Molesworth to return to Jamaica, had removed the chief-justice, attorney-general, and provost-marshal, and had restored several members of the council and officers to their places and trusts.

1690.

May 31. William earl of Inchequin arrived as captain-general and governor in chief.

1691.

Jan. 16. The Earl of Inchequin died. John White, esq. president, succeeded.

1692.

June 7. Great earthquake, which destroyed the town of Port-Royal, with three thousand of its inhabitants. "About mid-day a mysterious roar was heard in the distant mountains. The wharves, pondrous with spoils, sank instantaneously, and the water stood five fathoms deep, where a moment before, the crowded streets had displayed the glittering treasures of Mexico and Peru. The harbour appeared in motion, as if agitated by a storm, although no air was stirring: mighty billows rose and fell, with such unaccountable violence, that many ships broke from their cables, and the

Swan frigate was forced over the tops of the sunken houses. This afforded a providential refuge for many of the drowning sufferers. Of the whole town, perhaps the richest spot in the world, no more was left than the fort and about two hundred houses. The council was held there that morning, and had but a few minutes adjourned."—*Bridges.*

President White died a few days after from the injuries he had received, and was succeeded by John Bourdon, as president.

1693.

March 9. Sir Wm. Beeston, knight, arrived, having a commission as lieutenant-governor.

1694.

June. A descent made by the French, under M. Du Casse, who destroyed many plantations in St. Thomas in the East, St. David's, Vere, St. Mary's, and St. George's. By the gallant behaviour of the militia, they were obliged to retire with a computed loss of 700 men. About 100 people of Jamaica, of all colours, were killed and wounded, and 1300 negroes carried off.

1700.

Sir William Beeston confirmed as captain-general and commander in chief.

Usher Tyrrell, esq. who was expelled the assembly at the instance of governor Beeston, re-elected for St. James's

1701.

The governor having refused to give any account of large sums of money, books and writings, connected with unknown treasures found after the earthquake, the house refused to proceed to

business, was prorogued, and then dissolved.

1702.

Jan. Brig.-general William Selwyn, colonel of the 22d regiment, governor.

April 5. Governor Selwyn died, and Peter Beckford, esq. assumed the government as lieutenant-governor.

Admiral Benbow encountered and defeated M. Du Casse. The admiral received a mortal wound, and was buried in the Kingston church.

1703.

Jan. 9. Port-Royal again destroyed by a conflagration. With the exception of the royal forts and magazine, not a building was left.

Colonel Thomas Handasyd, of the 22d regiment, (afterwards brigadier and major general,) appointed lieutenant-governor.

An assembly convened at Kingston, to take into consideration the deplorable condition of the sufferers by the fire.

To encourage the infant town of Kingston, all the houses there were freed from taxes for seven years.

1706.

Lieutenant-governor Handasyd appointed captain general and governor in chief.

1711.

June. Admiral lord Archibald Hamilton, seventh son of William Douglas, duke, and Anne, duchess in her own right of Hamilton, arrived as governor.

1712.

Aug. 2. Great storm.

1716.

Lord Archibald Hamilton recalled, and Peter Haywood, esq. (a planter), appointed captain

general and governor in chief. 1718.

Sir Nicholas Lawes, another planter, appointed captain general and governor in chief.

1721.

The parish of St. Ann suffered severely from the incursions of pirates from Trinidad de Cuba. The house of a proprietor of a considerable settlement, who had fortified it on the beach, and had repeatedly repelled them, was surrounded one night, and fire applied to it in all directions, and in the morning nothing remained but the smoking ruins of the house, and the ashes of sixteen human beings.

1722.

June. A party of Mosquito Indians arrived, to aid in the capture of the rebellious negroes, who were ravaging the country in great force.

Aug. 22. Great storm, which injured the fortifications, and sank many ships at Port-Royal. It ruined many properties, and destroyed much lives. A fatal epidemic ensued. The day has ever since been kept holy.

Dec. 8. Henry, duke of Portland, arrived as captain general and governor in chief.

1724.

Mr. Attorney-General Monk expelled the assembly on a charge of "an infringement of the liberties of the people."

June 4. The duke of Portland died. The government administered by John Ayscough, esq. as president.

1726.

A dispute arose between president Ayscough and the assembly, upon the privilege of its



members being sworn in under their own roof, the president having desired the attendance of the members upon him for that purpose. The privilege of the house prevailed.

1727.

President Ayscough, advertising in his speech to the draught of a revenue bill, having declared that the king commanded them to pass it, it was unanimously resolved, that this wilful perversion of terms, in denominating that, as his majesty's command, which was only his gracious recommendation, was a gross and dangerous infringement of popular rights, and all further proceedings were staid until satisfaction should be given. Repeated prorogations ensued, and at length the president reluctantly produced a letter from the secretary of state to the late duke of Portland, which proved upon him the perversion of the words with which he was charged. The president was subsequently impeached for having "perverted justice while president and chancellor."

1728.

Feb. Major-general Hunter arrived, with full power as governor. Having previously made himself acquainted with the state of the colony, he had urged its distresses upon the attention of his majesty's ministers, and was listened to with confidence and effect. The assembly, to testify the estimation in which they held his said services, instantly increased his salary to £6000, and he fulfilled the last hopes of the colony, by reconciling it to the mother country.

March 21. An assembly met,

and on the 18th April presented to the governor an act (1 Geo. II.) for a permanent revenue, which, being assented to, finally closed a subject of debate and irritation, which had existed for nearly thirty years. "It completed an arrangement which was pure and permanent; satisfactory to the interest of the crown, and no charge upon the resources of Jamaica. Articles of foreign growth, with the quit rents, fines, and forfeitures which had already been relinquished, supplied the required fund of £8000 per annum. And the act, beneficial, wise, and liberal in itself, procured from the crown, not only the royal confirmation of all its laws, but that cardinal declaration which is recognized as the Magna Charta of Jamaica, viz.:—All such laws and statutes of England as have been at any time esteemed, introduced, read, and accepted, or received, as laws in this island, shall and are hereby declared to be and continue laws of this his Majesty's island of Jamaica for ever."

—Bridges.

Coffee introduced by sir Nicholas Lawes, and first planted on Tower-Hill, now Temple-Hall, in St. Andrew's.

Conflagration at Port-Royal, which continued three days, and destroyed immense property; few of the inhabitants survived the calamity; but many hundreds of their mercantile dependents throughout the island were plunged in misery and ruin.

1734.

March 31. Governor Hunter died, to the regret of all ranks, who beheld with dismay the re-

instatement of president Ayscough.

1735.

Sept. 31. President Ayscough died.

John Gregory, esq. succeeded to the government as president.

Dec 29. Henry Cunningham, esq. arrived as captain general and governor in chief.

1736.

Feb. 12. Governor Cunningham died, and the government again devolved upon president Gregory.

1738.

May. Edward Trelawny, esq. (afterwards colonel of the 40th regiment), arrived as captain general and governor in chief.

Maroons, the descendants of negroes left by the Spaniards, increased by runaways, had hitherto caused great annoyance to the settlers, frequently murdering them, and destroying the plantations. Many fruitless attempts had been made against them, until captain Sadler, at the head of a strong party, well armed, sought and met the rebels in their haunts, shewed them unequivocal proofs of his strength, received signs of submission, exchanged hats with their chiefs, in token of their fidelity, and negotiated a peace to the satisfaction of all parties. Governor Trelawny subsequently entered into a treaty with them, by which they were settled in separate townships throughout the island.

1739.

Nov. 21. Porto Bello taken by admiral Vernon.

The extended lines on Mosquito Shore, now Fort-Augusta, projected by the skill and experience of captain Knowles,

1740.

Carthagera attacked by the forces under admiral Vernon and General Wentworth, and the formidable Boca Chico and the Castello Grande stormed and taken. The complete success of the expedition was frustrated by the dissensions between the two commanders. The strong defences of Fort de St. Lazare were assaulted, but when the assailants reached the foot of the ramparts, they found no scaling ladders provided, and under a rolling fire of musketry met their inevitable fate. Colonel Grant, one of Jamaica's bravest sons, gained a footing, but was quickly hurled from the battlements, and the increasing light of the morning enabled the Spaniards to effect the total destruction of his intrepid followers.

1724.

Governor Trelawny, at the head of a chosen regiment, whose ranks were filled with the flower of the Jamaica youth, joined as a colonel and a volunteer the forces destined against Panama. The expedition returned without attempting a descent, which had been delayed until the Spaniards were too well prepared to afford a prospect of success.

1744.

Oct. 20. Tremendous hurricane. The greater part of Fort-Royal again destroyed, and the formidable lines of Fort-Augusta rent in a thousand pieces. A pestilence succeeded, which raged for many weeks, sweeping away a large proportion of the population.

Guinea grass introduced from the following circumstance. A

cage of African birds had been presented to chief-justice Ellis, and with them was sent a small bag of their native food, the wild grass seed of the coast of Guinea. The birds died, and the seeds carelessly thrown into a hedge, which quickly grew and spread, and the eagerness of the cattle to reach it, called attention to its vegetation, which has since become one of the most valuable productions of the colony.

1751.

Sept. 2. Storm.

Nov. Governor Trelawny retired, and was succeeded as captain general by vice admiral Charles Knowles, (afterwards baronet.)

1762.

The British cabinet ventured on a change in the constitutional privileges of the assembly, through the artful representations of governor Knowles, who had refused his assent to a money bill, in which the house had appointed an officer of its own to administer the duties of the public treasury. The altercations between the governor and the assembly rose to a great height, and the house was dissolved.

1754.

Governor Knowles commanded the next assembly to meet him in Kingston.

1755.

Three assemblies met, and were dissolved in three months, for not consenting to an act for the removal of the seat of government and the courts of justice from Spanish-Town to Kingston, but a fourth, less scrupulous, passed the act in May. The king was addressed by the assembly to confirm the law, and was

petitioned by the whole island to annul it.

1756.

Governor Knowles retired, and the government devolved on Henry Moore, esq. (afterwards baronet,) lieutenant governor.

1758.

The royal disallowance of the act of removal proclaimed on the 3d October, and lieutenant governor Moore empowered to hold the courts when and where he considered most convenient. Thirty waggons, loaded with the public records, and escorted by a large body of military, were met at the Ferry by a detachment from the garrison of St. Jago, and restored to their ancient depository.

Oct. 21. The island divided into judiciary districts, and Kingston, Savanna la-Mar, Montego-Bay, and Port-Antonio declared free ports.

The public buildings in Spanish-Town commenced, and the church enlarged and adorned.

Two attempts made by the assembly, one to refuse the elective franchise to the members of the council, the other, a claim made by the house to the exclusive franking of letters, which had nearly produced civil discord, but the judicious management of governor Moore allayed the tumult.

1759.

July. Brigadier-general Geo. Haldane arrived as captain-general and governor in chief. He lived only a few weeks, and Henry Moore, esq. again became lieutenant-governor.

1762.

Arrival of governor Lyttleton, who brought intelligence of the

seizure of British shipping in all ports of Spain, and the immediate neighbourhood of a Spanish squadron, which menaced Jamaica with invasion, and the town of Kingston with a siege.

Success of the British arms, under the earl of Lauderdale and Sir George Pocock, in the reduction of the Havanna, announced by governor Lyttleton.

The *formica omnivora*, the native ant of Cuba, brought by Thomas Raffles, under the impression that it would devour its lesser species, and free the island from the innumerable insects which infest it; instead of which, it became one of the greatest scourges.

The king's house in Spanish-Town completed and furnished, at an expense of £30,000.

1763.

The magazine of Fort-Au-usta, containing 3000 barrels of gunpowder, struck by lightning; three hundred human beings lost their lives, and the buildings, bastion, and even the guns, were blown to atoms. The damage estimated at £43,000 sterling.

1764.

A breach of the privileges of the assembly committed by governor Lyttleton, by cancelling the speaker's warrant for the commitment of an offender against one of its rules. Thomas Wilson, a marshal's deputy, having levied upon the carriage of John Oliphant, esq. a member, the chancellor released the offender by *habeas corpus*. He was again taken, and again released. The governor shewed the royal instruction, that no protection from suits at law should be allowed to any member of the senate otherwise than to their persons. The

house remonstrated, and it was instantly dissolved: again it remonstrated, and again it was dissolved.

1766.

Governor Lyttleton resigned, and Roger Hope Elletson, esq. succeeded as lieutenant-governor.

July 4. By command of the king in council, lieutenant-governor Elletson, in presence of the council and assembly, caused a *vacatur* to be entered on the margin of the proceedings in the case of Wilson in the records of the court of chancery.

1767.

Oct. Sir William Trelawny, bart. captain in the royal navy, arrived as captain general and governor in chief. During his administration, the extensive districts of St. James was divided, and the parish of Trelawny established. He died in 1772, and a thousand guineas were expended on his funeral.

The assembly having introduced a clause, applying the surplus money arising from the revenue act of 1728 in a money-bill, the council refused its assent; but the exigencies of the government obliged the executive to pass it, though not without a severe censure upon the motives which suggested the innovation. The assembly ventured to inquire with some asperity, "under whose advice such censure had been passed," and received a mild and dignified reply from governor Trelawny, "that the funds thus appropriated had once been the generous fruits of lawful prerogative, and that therefore, in liberally relinquishing that prerogative, the crown reserved to itself, or its council, a voice in the

appropriation of any surplus which might annually remain." He however convened a new assembly, which yielded to the just rights of the crown.

Colonel John Dalling (afterwards baronet), lieutenant-governor.

Arrival of Sir George Rodney, with a powerful squadron which drew the attention of the Spaniards from the destruction of Jamaica to the safety of their own shores.

1773.

Hutchinson, the assassin, apprehended by Sir George Rodney, in attempting to escape to sea in an open boat from Old-Harbour. He was executed in Spanish-Town on the 16th March.

1774.

Jan. Sir Basil Keith, knight, captain in the royal navy, arrived as captain general and governor in chief.

1777.

June 15. Sir Basil Keith died, and lieutenant-governor Dalling assumed the government.

1778.

Lieutenant-governor Dalling appointed captain-general and governor in chief.

Nov. 25. Governor Dalling returned to England, major-general Archibald Campbell (afterwards K.B.) succeeded as lieutenant-governor.

1779.

Threatened invasion of the island by the combined fleets of France and Spain, under the command of Count D'Estaing. All plantation work for the time abandoned, and the agricultural strength of the island employed in the cultivation of provisions to supply the population employed in the works of defence.

1780.

May 16. Great conflagration in Kingston, which broke out about two o'clock in the morning, at the house of a Mr. Lewis, corner of Water-lane and King-street, and which continued its devastating course as far as Dr. Mackglashan's in Orange street. It was not finally extinguished until five o'clock the following evening, causing the loss of property to the amount of £30,000.

Oct. 3. Destructive hurricane, storm, and earthquake, which laid waste the town of Savanna-la-Mar, and destroyed a great portion of the county of Cornwall. A liberal subscription was raised for the sufferers, and the inhabitants of Kingston contributed £10,000, and the British parliament a donation of £40,000 in specie.

1781.

Feb 17. A severe shock of an earthquake felt in Kingston. The inhabitants fled from their houses into the open air in the greatest consternation.

Aug. 1. Severe storm; ninety vessels went on shore from the east end of Kingston to Passage-Fort, and thirty of the fleet which was lying at Port-Royal: several dead bodies were washed ashore, and buried on the palisadoes.

Nov. 24. A daring freebooter, named Bristol, alias "Three-fingered Jack," the leader of a banditti, which had a settlement in the recesses of Four-Mile Wood, in St. David's, causing general consternation, and committing numerous excesses about that part of the country, was killed by a maroon named John Reeder. He was surprised by Reeder and his party near Mount Lebanon;

he desperately defended himself, and although severely wounded, having received three bullets in his body, threw himself down a precipice forty feet deep, followed by Reeder, who soon overpowered him, struck off his head, and the hand wanting the two fingers, and carried them in triumph to Kingston. Reeder was rewarded, during the remainder of his life, with a pension.

1782.

April 12. Rear-admiral sir George Brydges Rodney, bart. off Dominica, obtained a complete victory over the French fleet, commanded by count de Grasse. This fleet was on its way to form a junction with the Spanish fleet, which would have then amounted to sixty sail of the line, and their united forces would have been directed against this island. The battle commenced at seven in the morning, and continued till half past six in the afternoon, without one moment's intermission. The admiral, in the *Formidable*, by a masterly manœuvre, broke the French line between the second and third ships, astern of de Grasse in the *Ville de Paris*, which, after a vigorous but vain resistance, struck her colours to sir Samuel Hood. The count de Grasse was one of only three unwounded in his upper deck. Five sail of the line struck their colours also; one was sunk. Admiral Rodney was raised to the peerage, and a marble statue, erected in the square in Spanish-Town, perpetuates his name. It was executed by Bacon, and cost three thousand guineas. A club, called "The European Club," to commemorate the anniversary of

this great victory, was instituted and kept up in Kingston for upwards of twenty years after.

A valuable collection of exotic plants, which a ship was bearing from Asia to St. Domingo, captured by admiral Rodney. The *mangifera Indica*, or mango, was among the plants, and was then first introduced into this island.

1783.

Jan. Lieut.-general Campbell appointed captain-general and governor in chief.

1784.

July 12. Governor Campbell returned to England, and colonel Alured Clarke succeeded as lieutenant governor.

July 30. Hurricane.

1785.

Aug. 27. Hurricane.

1786.

Oct. 20. Storm.

1790.

March 17. Thomas Earl of Effingham arrived as captain-general and governor in chief.

1791.

Nov. 19. The earl of Effingham died, and the government devolved on major-general Adam Williamson as lieutenant-governor.

May 24. Lord Rodney died. He was born in December, 1718.

1794.

His Majesty's ship *Providence*, captain Bligh, was despatched to the South Seas for the collection of exotics for this island, by order of his majesty, arrived at Port-Royal. It brought the bread fruit, china orange, and other valuable plants, (in all 621). In return for this act of royal munificence, a collection of near 600 plants was made in the vicinity of Kingston and the mountains of

Liguanea, and presented to the gardens of Kew.

1795.

Bourbon cane introduced from St. Christopher and Antigua, whither it had been brought from the islands of Bourbon and Mauritius.

April 3. Lieutenant-governor Williamson having been appointed to command the forces in St. Domingo, major-general Alexander earl of Balcarres succeeded as lieutenant-governor.

July. Rebellion of the Trelawny-Town maroons.

Aug. 1. Martial law proclaimed.

Aug. 12. Lieutenant-colonel Sandford, quartermaster M<sup>r</sup> Bride, and six privates of the 20th, and eight privates of the 18th light dragoons, colonel Jarvis Gallimore, and a number of respectable gentlemen of the militia, killed in a defile near Maroon-Town.

Sept. 12. Colonel Fitch, one corporal, and seven privates of the 83d regiment, captain Brissett, of Fort-Charlotte, and captains Reid and Badnedge, of the Accompong maroons, killed by the maroons in the cockpits near Cudjoe-Town; captains Lee and Jacob Burnt, one corporal, and six privates of the 83d regiment, Mr. M<sup>r</sup>Farlane, superintendent of maroons, and three Accompong maroons, were wounded.

1796.

Jan. 12. The first party of maroons surrendered, consisting of upwards of forty.

March 18. The maroons having all surrendered, martial law ceased.

April 27. The maroons, consisting of upwards of 500 men,

women, and children, transported to Halifax. The assembly resolved that they should be provided with clothing and provisions for three years, and have lands purchased for them, at the expense of the island. A succession of difficulties opposing their settlement in Nova Scotia, they were finally removed to Sierra Leone.

June 1. Stamp act commenced.

1798.

The town of Montego-Bay suffered by conflagration, which involved two-thirds of it in ruins. The loss amounted to half a million of money.

Dec. A conspiracy among the negroes who had come from St. Domingo was discovered. On the 23d, Joseph Sas Portas, a spy, was hanged on the parade of Kingston. In consequence of his confession, upwards of a thousand of these negroes were shipped off the island.

Dec. 22. Martial law was proclaimed, and continued until the 5th February.

1799.

Nov. 1. The *Hermoine* frigate brought into Port-Royal, having been cut out from under the guns of the fort at Puerto-Cabello, by the boats of the *Surprise*, commanded in person by captain Hamilton. The *Hermoine* was formerly a British frigate; her crew mutinied, murdered her commander captain Pigot, and several of the officers; they carried the ship into La Guayra, and delivered her to the Spanish governor.—Captain Hamilton was severely wounded in the action. He received the honour of knighthood for his spirited conduct. In the

month of April, 1800, on returning home for the cure of his wounds, he was captured by a privateer and carried into a French port, from whence he was sent to Paris, where he was taken particular notice of by Bonaparte, who at length agreed to his being exchanged for six midshipmen. Previously to his departure from Jamaica, the house of assembly, with its accustomed liberality, voted captain Hamilton a sword of 300 guineas value, and on his arrival in England, after his exchange, the common council of London voted him the freedom of their city.

1801.

Aug. Lieut.-general George Nugent lieutenant governor.

1803.

The royal assent having been given to the act for constituting Kingston a corporation, under the name of the mayor, aldermen, and commonalty of the city and parish of Kingston, the first election took place Nov. 15.

1805.

April 1. Martial law proclaimed in consequence of the arrival of the combined fleets of France and Spain at Martinique their destination was the British colonies, and this island the principal object of their exertions; but being closely pursued by lord Nelson. (who arrived at Barbados with ten sail of the line and three frigates on the 3d June), they soon quitted these seas, after an attack on Dominica. Martial law ceased on the 22d of the same month. This fleet was destroyed in the month of October following, at Trafalgar, by lord Nelson. His lordship received a mortal wound on

board his favourite ship, the Victory, which closed the life of a hero of unparalleled renown.

The African slave trade abolished by an act of the imperial parliament.

1806.

Feb. 6. Vice-admiral Sir J. T. Duckworth, K. B. with six sail of the line, one 64, two frigates, and two sloops, engaged off Santo Domingo the French squadron of rear-admiral Lesseigues, of five sail of the line, two frigates, and a corvette, L'Alexandre, of 80 guns; Le Jupiter and Le Brave, of 74 each, were taken and brought into Port-Royal; L'Imperial, 120, and Le Diomede, of 74, run on shore by the enemy; the frigates escaped.

Feb. L' lieutenant-general Sir Eyre Coote, K. B. lieutenant-governor.

1807.

Jan. 1. Curacoa taken by Sir Charles Brisbane. It was occupied by the British till 1815, when it was delivered to the Dutch admiral Kickhart by major-general Hull.

St. Ann's Bay made a free port, and Falmouth, Port-Maria, and Annotto-Bay ports of clearance.

1808.

March 26. William duke of Manchester arrived as captain-general and governor in chief.

March 27. Recruits of the 2d West India regiment, stationed at Fort-Augusta, mutinied; lieutenant and adjutant Ellis was killed, and major Darley died of the wounds he received. Nine of the mutineers were killed, one died of wounds, sixteen tried by



a court-martial, and found guilty, seven of whom were shot.

Nov. The house of assembly appointed a committee to inquire into the circumstances of the above mutiny. Major-general Carmichael, at this time senior officer of the troops, issued an order, prohibiting such officers as might be called before the committee from answering any questions on the subject. The house, in consequence, directed the speaker to issue a warrant, requiring the major-general's appearance at the bar on the 1st December. Failing to appear, he was ordered to be taken into the custody of the serjeant at arms. The governor, however, immediately sent for the assembly to the council room, and prorogued them.

1809.

April 25. The assembly having met, the governor, in his speech, informed the house that the officers would be directed to attend without restrictions; and on the same day the speaker was directed to issue a warrant for taking major-general Carmichael into custody. He appeared at the bar on the following day in charge of the serjeant at arms, and informed the house that, by his majesty's commands, he was now ready to attend its pleasure. The house, satisfied with thus securing its privilege, discharged the major-general, and proceeded to business.

A conspiracy discovered among the negroes of Kingston, by the confession of George Burgess, a private in the 2d West India regiment, while under sentence of death for desertion. Two of the conspirators were tried, found

guilty, and executed on the 1st April.

1810.

Great depreciation in the price of coffee, in consequence of the continental system enforced by Bonaparte, which continued till the termination of the war in 1815. The article became of no value during that period, either to sell, barter, or pledge.

Sugar permitted to be used in the distilleries of England, which created an annual demand for 50,000 hogsheads; but the permission was of short duration.

1811.

June 25. The duke of Manchester proceeding to England, the government devolved on lieutenant-general Morrison.

1812.

War between England and the United States. it continued till 1815.

Oct. 12. Severe storm.

Nov. 11. Four severe shocks of earthquake; one at twenty minutes past two, a. m., and the others about ten minutes before six, which did considerable damage to a number of buildings.

1813.

The duke of Manchester returned to his government.

July 3. An act passed, allowing persons of colour to give evidence, under certain restrictions.

Presbyterian kirk erected in Kingston.

1814.

The parish of Manchester formed out of portions of Vere, Clarendon, and St. Elizabeth.

1815.

Hon. Thomas Witter Jackson, attorney-general, appointed chief justice.

June. A bill for the registra-

tion of slaves introduced into the house of commons, and subsequently carried into effect, after the measure had been adopted by the colonial legislatures.

July 13. Dreadful fire at Port-Royal. "This common victim of the convulsions of nature, and of the carelessness of man, was again devoured by the flames of a general conflagration. Excepting the naval and military establishments, with the church and a few scattered houses, the ill-fated town, which had once more been enriched by the profitable trade of war, was involved in one common destruction. The vigilance of government, and the benevolent sympathy of the public, neglected no opportunity or precaution which might relieve the effects of so dreadful a calamity. The charitable subscriptions of the citizens of Kingston alone amounted to £11,000."

Oct. 18 and 19. Severe storm, by which the county of Surrey suffered very materially, particularly the parishes of St. George and St. David, and the upper part of Port-Royal, where the works of many of the sugar estates and coffee plantations were destroyed, and great portions of the soil carried away by the overwhelming rapidity of the rivers. A number of lives were lost.

1816.

Dec. 11. An act passed by the legislature for a more particular return of slaves, and the enrolment thereof, which commenced its operation on the 28th June following, and continued until the commencement of the apprenticeship system in 1834. The enrolment of the registry re-

turns cost the country a considerable sum of money.

The assembly having existed for the full term of seven years, was dissolved by the duke of Manchester. This was the first time that any governor had beheld the natural death of his own house.

1818.

Nov. 19 and 20. Severe hurricane, by which the county of Cornwall sustained great injury.

Fees of the chief-justice abolished by law, and the independence of the chair secured by a fixed and permanent salary of £5600.

1820.

Dreadful accident happened to the duke of Manchester, by being thrown from his carriage. He was rendered insensible by a blow from one of the unmanageable horses, which struck him on the head, and fractured his skull. The accident caused a temporary absence of the duke from his government, for the re-establishment of his health. He embarked for England on the 30th July, 1821.

Major-general Henry Conran, commander of the forces, administered the government during the absence of the duke of Manchester.

1822.

Aug. 21. Hon. Thomas Witter Jackson, chief-justice, died in Kingston.

Dec. 8. The duke of Manchester again returned to the government.

1823.

Feb. 7. Ten pirates executed at Port-Royal Point.

On the 15th May, a motion for the gradual abolition of slavery

was made by Mr. T. F. Buxton, member for Weymouth, and he proposed a resolution to that effect, which was negatived, and certain others, offered by Mr. Secretary Canning, pledging the government to adopt effectual measures for the abolition of slavery in the colonies, agreed to.

May 22 and 23. Nineteen pirates of the Zaragozana piratical schooner, with their captain, Cayetano Aragon, were executed on the Gallows Point near Port-Royal. The schooner was captured at the entrance of the harbour of Mata, in the island of Cuba, on the 31st March, by the boats of the Tyne frigate, captain Walcott, and the Thracian sloop, commander Roberts.

1824.

Two bishops appointed, one for the windward islands, and the other for this island.

1825.

Feb. 11. The right reverend Christopher Lipscomb, D. D. lord bishop of Jamaica and the Bahama islands, and the settlement of Honduras and their respective dependencies, arrived, and was installed on the 15th.

April 13. The lord bishop held his first ordination.

1827.

July 2. The duke of Manchester quitting the government, it devolved on major-general sir John Keane, K.C.B. as lieutenant-governor. [The duke died at Rome in 1843.]

A rheumatic fever (called the dando), with pains in the joints, raged in the island. It was not attended with any serious consequences; the pains lasted for three or four days. It was also

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prevalent at the time in all the West-India colonies and some parts of Europe.

1829.

Feb. 20. Somerset Lowry, earl of Belmore, arrived as captain-general and governor in chief.

1830.

Dec. A law passed for giving unrestricted privileges to all free persons.

1831.

Oct. 6. Sir William Anglin Scarlett, knt. chief-justice, died at Cedar-Grove, in the parish of Manchester.

Dec. 30. Martial law proclaimed, a rebellion having broken out in the county of Cornwall, which was attended by commotions and a spirit of disaffection almost general among the whole slave population; a great number of estates were burnt by the insurgents. The united exertions of the regulars and the militia, with the seamen of the navy and merchant vessels, and the aid of the maroons, directed by the military skill and experience of major-general sir Wilmoughby Cotton, the commander of the forces, who hastened without a moment's delay to the scene of insurrection, speedily suppressed this extensive and formidable rebellion. Property to a considerable amount was destroyed by the rebels. A great number of them, in resisting the military, were killed in the field, and not a few expiated their crimes on the scaffold. Martial law terminated on the 5th February. The British Government, in commiseration of the deplorable state to which the proprietors were reduced, extended to them

pecuniary assistance by a loan of £200,000.

1832.

Feb. 3. Proclamation issued, offering pardon to all rebellious slaves who would surrender themselves in ten days—not to extend to the rebel principals or chiefs.

April 19. Proclamation by the king, requiring the submission of the slaves to the constituted authorities of the island.

June 4. Sir Joshua Rowe, *knt.* on whom the appointment was bestowed by the British government, took his seat this day at the grand court as chief-justice of Jamaica.

June 11. The earl of Belmore embarked for England on board his Majesty's ship *Blanche*, *commodore Farquhar*.

June 13. The hon. George Cuthbert sworn into office as president of this island.

June 19. Sir Molyneux Hyde Nepean, *bart.* the patentee of the office of the clerk of the crown and of courts, arrived to do the duties of his office in person.

June 26. His excellency the earl of Mulgrave, the countess of Mulgrave, and lord Seaford, arrived in his majesty's ship *Conway*.

Oct. 30. The house of assembly met by his excellency the earl of Mulgrave.

Dec. 8. John Augustus Sullivan, *esq.* provost-marshal-general, and usher of the black rod, arrived to do the duties of his office in person.

Dec. 14. The house of assembly dissolved by the governor. The cause of dissolution originated in a difference of opinion between the council and assembly, respecting the originating of

a bill by the former, "authorizing the custodes and vestries to take probates of deeds, and to perform other acts on payment of certain fees."

1833.

May 1. Major-general Sir Wilmoughby Cotton, *K.C.B.* commander of the forces, sailed for England. His valuable services to this island, particularly during the late rebellion, will hold a conspicuous place in the annals of Jamaica.

June 29. Proclamation of the governor to the slave population to guard against erroneous impressions.

Sept 1. The abolition bill received by the *Plover* packet.

Oct. 8. The house of assembly met this day, when the question of emancipation was pressed upon the legislature by the governor (earl of Mulgrave) in his opening speech.

Nov. 8. A smart shock of an earthquake felt at ten minutes past seven o'clock, *A.M.*

Nov. 23. Proclamation of the king in council issued this day, on the subject of the intended change in the condition of the slave population.

Dec. 12. The governor's assent given to the slavery abolition bill.

1834.

Jan. 6. Board of assistant commissioners of compensation formed.

Jan. 14. Major-general sir Amos Norcott succeeded sir Wilmoughby Cotton as commander of the forces.

March 14. His excellency the earl of Mulgrave embarked for England.

March 15. Mr. President

Cuthbert sworn in to administer the government.

March 31. Major-general sir Amos Noreott, K.C.B. sworn in as lieutenant-governor.

April 4. His excellency the marquis of Sligo and family arrived in his majesty's ship *Blonde*, commander Mason.

May 21. First proclamation from the marquis of Sligo to the negro population.

July 14. Proclamation of his excellency the governor to all runaway slaves, offering pardon if they return to their owners before the 1st of August.

Aug. 1. The long anticipated and memorable day on which slavery was abolished throughout the British colonies.

Aug. 15. Proclamation of the marquis of Sligo to the newly made apprentices.

Sept. 7. A severe shock of earthquake was felt throughout the island.

#### 1835.

Aug. 1. Anniversary of the enfranchisement of the peasantry, on which day sermons were preached suitable to the occasion in all of the parish churches and dissenting places of worship.

Aug. 4. The house of assembly met this day.

A message from the governor, announcing the disallowance of the act to amend and explain the abolition act.

Aug. 10. The house of assembly dissolved by the governor, on account of the reply of the house to his excellency's speech.

Aug. 22. The intercolonial apportionment of the compensation grant of twenty millions announced in the island papers.

Nov. 10. The assembly met.

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Dec. 19. The house of assembly was adjourned until Tuesday the 20th January.

#### 1836.

Aug. 26. Sir Lionel Smith, K.C.B. and family, arrived in the *Belvidera* ship of war.

Sept. 1. The marquis of Sligo and family embarked on board the *Belvidera*, and on the following morning sailed for England.

Sept. 2. Sir Lionel Smith sworn in as lieutenant-governor.

Sept. 4. Bank of Jamaica established.

Dec. An act passed the legislature, "establishing and incorporating a joint stock company, under the name of the Bank of Jamaica."

Dec. 30. Sir Lionel Smith sworn in as captain-general and governor in chief of this island.

By an act of the legislature, the mountain district of Port-Royal was separated from the town.

#### 1837.

May 15. The Colonial Bank established and commenced business.

Aug. 9. The steamer *City of Kingston* arrived, bringing official intelligence of the death of his most gracious majesty William the Fourth, which event took place on the 20th of June, and of the proclamation of the princess Alexandrina Victoria as queen on the 21st.

Aug. 11. The ceremony of proclaiming her most gracious majesty queen Victoria took place in Spanish-Town.

Aug. 29. The house of assembly was dissolved this day in consequence of the demise of the king, and a new house commenced on the 24th October.

1838.

An act passed the imperial parliament to amend the act for the abolition of slavery in the British colonies.

June 5. An assembly convened to take into consideration the state of the island, under the apprenticeship laws. A bill for terminating the apprenticeship of the prædial labourers on the 1st of August introduced, passed through its various stages, and received the governor's assent on the 16th of the same month.

July 1. Stony-Hill turnpike opened.

Aug. 1. The apprenticeship system abolished, and the blessings of unrestricted freedom conferred on the slave population of the island. The day was observed with all the solemnity of a fast, and sermons, suitable to the great change, preached in every place of divine worship.

Aug. 2 and 3. These days were enjoyed throughout the island by the new made freemen as holidays. The city of Kingston was partially illuminated; two beeves were roasted on the race course, and a transparency, descriptive of the great change in the social system of the country, erected on the same place. These festivities terminated peaceably, and with every demonstration of gratitude by the late apprentices for the inestimable boon conceded to them, and without the occurrence of the slightest accident.

Oct. 30. An assembly met, agreeably to the governor's proclamation. His excellency's speech on opening the sessions referred to a committee of the whole house to take into consideration the

state of the island. The house resolved itself into such committee on the 31st, and four resolutions, regarding the violation of their constitutional rights and privileges, by passing the prisons bill by the British parliament, agreed to, after a division: ayes, 21; noes, 5.—[*Vide Almanack for 1840.*]

Nov. 2. The house having embodied the substance of the above resolutions in their address in answer to his excellency's speech, they were prorogued to the following day.

The assembly met, and having expressed in their address to the governor, that so long as their legislative rights continue to be invaded, they feel themselves compelled to adhere to their resolutions of the last session, his excellency summoned the house to the council chamber; and after expressing how little he could reconcile their determination with the true interests of the colony, and that he had reluctantly resolved to take the sentiments of the constituency, dissolved the assembly.

Nov. 5. Writs issued for calling a new assembly, returnable on the 17th December.

Dec. 18. The assembly met agreeably to the governor's proclamation. His excellency, in his opening speech, expressed his regret in having been compelled to convene them at such an unusual season, but a sense of the difficulties likely to ensue from the want of important laws about to expire, would not permit him to forego the earliest opportunity for their renewal, and he looked to the result of their deliberations with every confidence in their solici-

tude to uphold the public welfare. His excellency's speech was referred to a committee of the whole house to take into consideration the state of the island.

Dec. 19. The assembly came to a resolution to adhere to their resolutions of the 31st October.

Dec. 21. The address of the assembly being unsatisfactory to the governor, the house was prorogued to the 5th of February, 1839.

1839.

April 22. A thunder storm passed over Kingston shortly after three o'clock, followed by a heavy shower of rain and a fall of hail-stones.

July 1. The Planters' Bank established and commenced business.

July 29. Severe shocks of earthquake felt about six o'clock in the morning.

Sept. 22. Sir Charles Metcalfe, bart. arrived as captain-general and governor.

Sept. 26. Sir Charles Metcalfe assumed the government.

Sept. 27. Issued a proclamation, calling the house of assembly to meet on the 22d October.

Oct. 1. Sir Lionel Smith, the late governor, sailed for England.

Oct. The house of assembly met, and a committee waited on his excellency, acquainting him therewith, and of the death of their late speaker, and requesting leave to choose another, whereupon the honorable Edward Panton was chosen, and being presented to his excellency, was approved of. They sat until the 21st of December, when they adjourned until the 17th of March, having passed forty-six laws.

Nov. 2. Mammee-Bridge turnpike opened.

Nov. 5. Severe shock of an earthquake.

Nov. 12. Great flood in Montego Bay, which carried away several houses; some persons lost their lives by it.

Nov. 23. Dreadful fire in Savanna-la-Mar, which consumed the Baptist chapel and several stores and dwelling houses.

Court of Common Pleas for St. Catherine established by 3 Vic. c. 21.

1840.

March 17. The assembly met according to adjournment, and having passed twenty-one laws, were prorogued on the 11th April.

Oct. 27. The assembly met, and sat till the 22d December, on which day they were prorogued, having passed fifty-six laws.

Establishment of a silk company in St. Ann's.

In consequence of the labourers being paid money wages, silver bore the last and present years a premium of from 6 to 10 per cent.

Severe drought this year.

1841.

Jan. 1. The act (3 Vic. c. 39) for the assimilation of the currency of the island with the currency of the united kingdom came into operation.

May 25. Arrival of two vessels from Sierra Leone, with 267 emigrants from Africa, among whom were 65 maroons, the descendants of those who were transported in 1796. Other maroons subsequently arrived.

May 31. Much rain, which continued, with slight intervals, till Saturday 5th June. The

rivers were much swollen, and some lives were lost in crossing them.

Severe floods this year in Montego-Bay.

Severe flood at Port-Maria, several lives lost.

Dec. 27. Serious riot in Kingston, in consequence of an order of the mayor to the police to suppress all noisy drummings about the streets during the holidays. The police, on attempting to secure some drums, were assaulted by the mob with stones, brickbats, and broken bottles: the riot act was read, and the military called out, and on the mob refusing to disperse, the order was given to fire; two men were shot, and several other persons wounded, one a woman. The militia were ordered out, and put on duty in several parts of the city. The military force (militia and regulars) were placed under the command of major-general Sir William Gomm, the commander of her majesty's forces, by whose promptitude and skilful dispositions tranquillity was ultimately restored to the city.

The scarlet fever prevailed the greater part of the year throughout the island with deadly violence. It was also prevalent in the Windward Islands.

An act passed the legislature, erecting a portion of the western part of St. George and the eastern part of St. Mary into a distinct parish, and called "Metcalfc."

An act passed by the legislature removing all disabilities from the maroons.

1842.

April 2. The foundation stone of the light-house at Morant-Point laid by the hon. Thos. M'Cornock.

May 7. At a quarter past three p. m. a shock of an earthquake was felt throughout the island, but fortunately without producing any injury. About the same time a dreadful shock laid in ruins the town of Cape Haytien in St. Domingo, when 3000 of its inhabitants (out of a population of 9000) lost their lives, and property to a considerable amount destroyed. It was likewise felt in the island of Cuba, and did much damage to the walls of the dwelling houses.

May 16. His excellency the Earl of Elgin and Kincardine, captain-general and governor in chief, with his countess, arrived. His excellency had taken his passage from England in the steam packet Medina, which struck on a coral reef off Turk's Island on the 10th; the steamer Tweed being in sight, his excellency and family were received on board of that vessel, and proceeded in her to this island.

May 19. His excellency the earl of Elgin and Kincardine sworn in as captain-general and governor in chief.

May 21. His excellency sir Charles Theophilus Metcalfe, late governor, sailed for England.—The honourable house of assembly subsequently voted a grant for the erection of a suitable memorial, to perpetuate the memory of sir Charles, for his able, mild, and impartial administration of the government. His excellency was subsequently governor-general of Canada, and was raised to the dignity of a Baron by the name, style, and title of Baron Metcalfe, of Fern-Hill, in the county of Berks.

May 30. The hon. Edward



Panton took his seat this day in the court of chancery as vice-chancellor.

June 29. An order of her majesty in council promulgated, specially confirming, ratifying, and finally enacting the "act for forming the western part of St. George and the eastern part of St. Mary into a distinct parish, to be called Metcalfe." It constitutes part of the county of Surrey.

Aug. 6. St. Andrew's kirk at Falmouth struck by lightning, and sustained considerable injury.

Aug. 25. Several shocks of an earthquake between five and six o'clock, p. m.

Sept. Much rain this month.

Oct. The hon. Samuel Jackson Dallas, member for Port-Royal, elected speaker of the honourable house of assembly, on the resignation of the honourable Edward Panton, his honour being appointed vice chancellor.

Nov. Morant Point light house lighted for the first time.

1843.

March 3. A great comet appeared in the south-west. It continued visible for about three weeks.

March 6. Severe shock of an earthquake at three o'clock, a. m.

March 11. Three smart shocks of earthquake at half past 10 p. m.

March 13. A shock of earthquake between 4 and 5 a. m.

March 20. A very severe shock of earthquake about 10 p. m. causing much alarm. The inhabitants rushed from their houses to the different places of worship, which were speedily thrown open and became thronged.

April 1. The new tariff came into operation.

April 4. Christopher, lord

bishop of Jamaica, died at his residence in St. Andrew's. His lordship was the first bishop of Jamaica. He was ordained in 1824, and arrived in this island in February, 1825, and held his first ordination in April of the same year.

June. The lightning rod at Morant Point light-house struck by lightning.

June 7. The countess of Elgin died at his excellency's country residence in St. Andrew's. Her ladyship had, shortly before the melancholy event, given birth to a still-born female child. Her remains, with those of her infant, were interred in the cathedral church of Spanish-Town, in the same vault with those of the earl and countess of Effingham. The honourable house of assembly voted 300 guineas for a monument to be erected to the memory of the countess.

July 2. Severe shock of earthquake between 8 and 9 p. m.

July 15. Another smart shock of earthquake at 2 p. m.

Aug. 18. The Hope river brought to North-street in a guttering ploughed by oxen, and flowed down the street, an experiment to show the ease and facility with which the water could be conveyed to the city.

Aug. 23. Order in council issued, establishing trade between the republic of Hayti and the British possessions abroad.

Aug. 26. An awful fire broke out from the foundry establishment of Messrs. Wm. James and Co. at the east end of Harbour-street, shortly before 1 o'clock this day. There being a very strong south-easterly wind blowing at the time, and the weather

for several months previous having been excessively dry, by which the shingles were easily ignited, the flames spread rapidly with fearful velocity in a diagonal line, until they reached the old Catholic Chapel, (which was entirely consumed), the corner of Duke-street and Mark-lane, destroying a great number of houses with much valuable effects in their progress. The flames were not finally extinguished till early the next morning, the 27th.

Nov. 4. The right reverend Aubry G. Spencer, bishop of Jamaica and the Bahamas, and the settlement of Honduras, and their respective dependencies, arrived.

1844.

Feb. 20. At a meeting of the general agricultural society, his excellency the earl of Elgin announced that her majesty was most graciously pleased to become the patroness of the society. A law was in consequence passed the legislature, incorporating the society, under the denomination of "The Royal Agricultural Society of Jamaica."

Feb. 23. A smart shock of an earthquake about 12 p. m.

May 21. Two smart shocks of earthquake at half past 8 p. m.

Aug. 19. Trinity chapel, in Spanish-Town, struck by lightning, and sustained some damage.

Aug. 26. Dissolution of the assembly by proclamation. Writs issued for calling a new general assembly, returnable 8th Oct.

Sept. 15. Severe thunder-storm passed over Kingston and its vicinity.

Oct. 1 to 8. Heavy rains, with slight intermissions.

Oct. 5. Severe weather at

Montego-Bay and Falmouth; the sea rose uncommonly high, causing the loss of several vessels. [This storm was more severely experienced at the Havanna, by which a great number of vessels were lost, also several lives, and property to a considerable amount destroyed.]

Oct. 9. A thunder-storm passed over Spanish-Town. The Portuguese Jews' Synagogue was struck by the electric fluid. The Grand Court was sitting at the time, but from the violence of the storm was compelled to adjourn.

Oct. 15. New house of assembly met, the honourable Samuel Jackson Dallas again appointed speaker unanimously.

Oct. 29. Severe shock of earthquake felt at Montego-Bay and Falmouth at 6 o'clock in the morning.

Nov. 1. Trinity Chapel, in Spanish-Town, consecrated by the Lord Bishop.

Dec. 5. An act [5 Vic. cap. 8.] passed the legislature, declaring the parish of St. David a separate and distinct parish from the precinct of St. Thomas in the East.

1845.

Jan. 1. A comet appeared in the south-west; it continued visible for a week.

Feb. 3. Holy Trinity Chapel in Kingston being rebuilt, after its destruction by the great fire in August, 1843, opened for Divine Service.

Feb. Uncommonly cold weather at the commencement of the month for a fortnight.

Feb. 12. His excellency sir Charles Fitzroy, governor in chief of Antigua and the Leeward Islands, with his lady, arrived in

her majesty's frigate Eurydice, Capt. Elliott

Feb. 15. His excellency Sir Henry M'Leod, governor of Trinidad, with his lady, arrived in the Severn steam-packet.

Feb. 18. The foundation-stone of the new general penitentiary laid by his excellency the governor. Their excellencies the governor of the leeward islands and Trinidad were present at the ceremony. The masonic lodges assembled on the occasion at

Masonic-Hall, and walked in procession to the ground.

Feb. First introduction of Hill Coolies from the East-Indies as labourers.

March 11. Their excellencies Sir Charles Fitzroy and Sir Henry M'Leod, left the island for their respective governments.

April 3. A severe clap of thunder over Kingston. The electric fluid struck a building in Water lane.

## GOVERNORS, LIEUTENANT-GOVERNORS, &amp;C.

With the Year when they commenced their Administrations.

Gov. Colonel D'Oyley ...	1660	Lt.-Gov. Lieut.-Col. John	
— Lord Windsor ...	1662	Dalling ...	1772
Lt.-Gov. Sir Charles Lyttle-		Gov. Sir Basil Keith, Knt.	1773
ton, Knt ...	1662	— Major-Gen. John Dal-	
PRES. Colonel Thos. Lynch	1664	ling ...	1777
Gov. Sir T. Modyford, Knt.	1664	— Major-Gen. Arch. Camp-	
Lt.-Gov. Sir T. Lynch, Knt.	1671	bell ...	1782
— Sir H. Morgan, Knt.	1675	Lt.-Gov. Brig. Gen. Alured	
Gov. Lord Vaughan ...	1675	Clarke ...	1784
Lt.-Gov. Sir Henry Morgan,		Gov. Thos. Earl of Effingham	1790
Knt. ...	1678	Lt.-Gov. Major-Gen. Adam	
Gov. Charles Earl of Carlisle	1678	Williamson ...	1791
Lt.-Gov. Sir Henry Morgan,		— Alexander, Earl of	
Knt. ...	1680	Balcarres ...	1795
Gov. Sir Thos. Lynch, Knt.	1682	— Lieut.-Gen. George	
Lt.-Gov. Col. Hender Moles-		Nugent ...	1801
worth ..	1684	— Lt.-Gen. Sir Eyre	
Gov. Christopher, Duke of		Coote, K.B. & K. C.	1806
Albemarle ...	1687	Gov. William Duke of Man-	
PRES. Sir Francis Watson	1688	chester ...	1808
Gov. Wm. Earl of Inchiquin	1690	Lt.-Gov. Lieut.-General Ed-	
PRES. John White, Esq.	1692	ward Morrison	1811
— John Bourden, Esq.	1692	Gov. William Duke of Man-	
Lt.-Gov. Sir William Beeston,		chester ...	1813
Knt. ...	1693	Lt.-Gov. Major-Gen. Henry	
Gov. Wm. Selwyn, Esq.	1702	Conran ...	1821
Lt.-Gov. Peter Beckford, Esq.	1702	Gov. William Duke of Man-	
— T. Handasyd, Esq.	1702	chester ...	1822
Gov. Lord Arch. Hamilton	1711	Lt.-Gov. Major-Gen. Sir John	
— Peter Heywood, Esq.	1716	Keane, K. C. B.	1827
— Sir Nich. Lawes, Knt.	1718	Gov. Somerset Lowry Earl	
— Henry, Duke of Port-		of Belmore ...	1829
land ...	1722	PRES. George Cuthbert	1830
PRES. John Ayscough, Esq.	1722	Gov. Constantine Henry Earl	
Gov. Major-gen. Robt Hunter	1728	of Mulgrave ...	1832
PRES. John Ayscough, Esq.	1734	PRES. George Cuthbert	1834
— John Gregory, Esq.	1735	Lt. Gov. Major-Gen. Sir Amos	
Henry Cunningham, Esq. was ap-		Norcott ...	1834
pointed Governor in 1735, but		Gov. Howe Peter Marquess of	
President Gregory was succeed-		Sligo ...	1834
ed by		— Lieut.-Gen. Sir Lignel	
Gov. Edw. Trelawny, Esq.	1738	Smith, Bt. K. C. B.	1836
— Charles Knowles, Esq.	1752	Gov. Sir Charles Theophilus	
Lt.-Gov. Henry Moore, Esq.	1756	Metcalf, Baronet,	
Gov. George Haldane, Esq.	1758	K. G. C. B. ...	1839
Lt.-Gov. Henry Moore, Esq.	1759	Lt.-Gov. Major-Gen. Sir Wm.	
Gov. Wm. H. Littleton, Esq.	1762	M. Gomm, K. C. B.	1839
Lt.-Gov. Roger Hope Ellet-		Gov. James Earl of Elgin and	
son, Esq. ...	1766	Kincaidine ...	1842
Gov. Sir Wm. Trelawny, Bt.	1767	Lt.-Gov. Major-Gen. Berkeley	1842

## CIVIL LIST.

## GOVERNMENT AND COUNCIL.

GOVERNOR OF THE ISLAND AND ITS DEPENDENCIES,  
HIS EXCELLENCY THE RIGHT HONORABLE JAMES,  
EARL OF ELGIN AND KINCARDINE.

*Secretary, The Hon. Robert Bruce.*

*Military Secretary, The Hon. Lieut.-Colonel Bruce.*

*Secretary in the Stipendiary Justices' Department, R. Hill, Esq.*

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*President, Hon. JAMES GAYLEARD.*

Hon. Major-Gen. S. H. Berkeley,  
*Commander of her Majesty's  
Forces, (Lieut.-Governor.)*

Hon. Sir Joshua Rowe, Knight,  
*Chief-Justice.*

Hon. and Right Rev. Aubrey  
George Spencer, D.D. (*Lord  
Bishop of Jamaica*)

Hon. Dowell O'Reilly, *Attorney-  
General.*

Hon. John Salmon.

Hon. William Dutton Turner.

Hon. Duncan Robertson.

Hon. Alexandre Bravo.

Hon. James Bernard

Hon. Edw. Panton, *Vice-Chan-  
cellor.*

OFFICERS OF THE COUN-  
CIL.

*Clerk, Walter Geo. Stewart, Esq*


*Assist. Clerk, Saml. Rennalls, Esq*

*Librarian, Hon. Wm. Ramsay*

*Usher of the Black Rod and Mes-  
senger, John Augustus Sullivan,*

*Esq*

*Chaplain, Rev. G. W. Rowe.*

 The Members of the Council, Speaker of the Assembly, Judges of the Grand and Assize Courts, and the Attorney-General, are Justices in every parish. All Justices of the Court of Common Pleas take Probates of Deeds.

## HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

[Elected 8th October, 1844—8th Victoria.]

*The names in Italics were not Members of the former Assembly.*

Speaker, HON. SAMUEL JACKSON DALLAS.

## ST. CATHERINE.

William Thomas March	} esqrs.	<i>When elected.</i> 4th September, 1837.
Jacob Jacob Sanguinetti		4th September, 1837.
Robert Russell		8th November, 1841.

## KINGSTON.

Edward Jordan	} esqrs.	19th October, 1833.
Philip Lawrence		20th November, 1833.
<i>Richard James Cade Hitchins</i>		6th October, 1845.

## PORT-ROYAL.

Hon. Samuel Jackson Dallas	} esqrs.	9th November, 1830.
James Taylor		14th October, 1835.
<i>James Porteous</i>		17th March, 1845.

## ST. JAMES.

John Samuel Brown	} esqrs.	20th September, 1844.
George L. Phillips		20th September, 1844.

## CLARENDON.

William Collman	} esqrs.	12th November, 1832.
Hon. Edward Thompson		16th September, 1837.

## HANOVER.

John Vincent Purrier	} esqrs.	13th November, 1843.
Edward Charles Mowatt		25th September, 1844.

## VERE.

George Harrison Townshend	} esqrs.	21st November, 1815.
<i>Charles Hamilton Jackson</i>		1st September, 1845.

## TRELAWNY.

James Dunstone	} esqrs.	16th November, 1839.
Samuel Magnus		21st September, 1844.

## MANCHESTER.

William W. Mackeson	} esqrs.	9th November, 1841.
Hinton Spalding		9th November, 1841.

## ST. DAVID.

Hugh Fraser Leslie	} esqrs.	— November, 1830.
George Wright		18th September, 1837.

## ST. ELIZABETH.

Charles M. Farquharson }  
Raynes Waite Smith } esqrs.

When elected.

20th September, 1837.  
22d May, 1843.

## ST. THOMAS IN THE EAST.

Alexander Barclay }  
Charles Henry Darling } esqrs.

\*  
21st November, 1838.

## WESTMORLAND.

Charles Lake }  
Hugh Anthony Whitelocke } esqrs.

22d September, 1837.  
3d December, 1838.

## ST. MARY.

Daniel Hart }  
William M. Anderson } esqrs.

5th September, 1838.  
— December, 1844.

## PORTLAND.

William Wemyss Anderson }  
Andrew Gregory Johnson } esqrs.

17th September, 1844.  
17th September, 1844.

## ST. JOHN.

Charles M'Larty Morales }  
John Aris } esqrs.

14th November, 1839.  
11th November, 1841.

## ST. DOROTHY.

Francis M'Cook }  
Philip Harrison } esqrs.

7th December, 1838.  
12th September, 1844.

## ST. GEORGE.

John Fowles }  
James Lunan } esqrs.

21st November, 1842.  
19th September, 1844.

## ST. ANN.

Peter Moncrieffe }  
Alexander Geddes } esqrs.

6th November, 1842.  
30th October, 1843.

## ST. THOMAS IN THE VALE.

George William Gordon }  
Archibald L. Pallmer } esqrs.

7th September, 1844.  
7th September, 1844.

## ST. ANDREW.

Hon. Joseph Gordon }  
Robert Osborn } esqrs.

16th October, 1835.  
16th October, 1835.

## METCALFE.

Edward Trueman Guy }  
Henry Franklyn } esqrs.

— November, 1830.  
28th September, 1844.

## OFFICERS OF THE ASSEMBLY.

Clerk, John Gale Vidal, esq.  
Sergeant at Arms, W. Kemble,  
esq.

Chaplain, Rev. R. Pantton  
Librarian, Joseph Gegg, esq.

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Printer of the Votes, Mr. Robert  
Jordon.

Messenger, Mr. Wm. H. Bridg-  
man.

Doorkeeper, Mr. Wm. Holliday.

**PUBLIC BOARDS.****PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.**

*Commissioners*, The Speaker and Members of Assembly for the time being, five of whom form a quorum.

*Clerk*, Samuel Murphy, esq.

**COMMISSIONERS OF CORRESPONDENCE.**

President and Members of the Council, Speaker and Members of the Assembly.

*Clerk*, John Duff, esq.

**FORTS AND FORTIFICATIONS.**

*Commissioners*, The Governor, President and Members of the Council, Speaker and Members of the Assembly, five of whom form a quorum.

*Clerk*, Wm. George Nunes, esq.

**PUBLIC WORKS.**

*Commissioners*, The Governor, President and Members of the Council, Speaker and Members of the Assembly, Chief-Justice, and Attorney-General for the time being, five of whom form a quorum.

*Clerk*, W. N. Greensword, esq.

**EDUCATION.**

(8 Vic. c. 40.)

*Commissioners*, The Governor, the Bishop, the President of the Council, the Speaker of the Assembly, the Vice-Chancellor, and C. H. Darling, A. G. Johnston, and E. Jordon, esqrs.

**LAZARETTO.**

(8 Vic. c. 9.)

*Commissioners*, The Governor, the President of the Council, the Speaker of the Assembly, and Dr. Turner, the Mayor of Kingston, C. H. Darling, and P. Lawrence, esqrs.

**PENITENTIARIES.**

(6 Vic. c. 53.)

*Commissioners*, The Governor, the President of the Council, the Speaker of the Assembly, the Chief-Justice, Assistant Judges of the Supreme Court, and E. Jordon, A. Barclay, H. F. Leslie, esqrs.

*Clerk*, Mr. W. Whitehorne

**LUNATIC ASYLUM.**

(7 Vic. c. 11.)

*Commissioners*, The Governor, the President of the Council, the Speaker of the Assembly, the Vice-Chancellor, and Dr. Morales

*Clerk*, Mr. W. Whitehorne

**PATENT OFFICES AND PATENTEES.****SECRETARY OF THE ISLAND AND PUBLIC NOTARY.**

\* Hon. Charles Greville.

**RECEIVER-GENERAL AND PUBLIC TREASURER.**

John Edwards, esq.

**CLERK OF THE COURT AND OF THE CROWN.**

Sir Molyneux H. Nepean, bart.

**PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL.**

John Augustus Sullivan, esq.

**PUBLIC OFFICERS.****AGENT.**

William Burge, esq.

**SECRETARY OF THE ISLAND AND NOTARY PUBLIC.**

Walter George Stewart, esq.

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George Morce, esq. Kingston  
Robert Gordon, esq. Morant-Bay



Robert Mein, esq. Port-Antonio  
Edward Bond, esq. Annotto-Bay  
Thomas Morle, esq. Port-Maria  
Geo. Robinson, esq. St. Ann's Bay  
Ellis Fray, esq. Falmouth  
Thos. Watson, esq. Montego-Bay

\* Lucea  
Charles Brane, esq. Sav.-la-Mar  
Jas. S. Buckingham, esq. Black-River

R. G. Hume, esq. Old-Harbour

#### RECEIVER-GENERAL.

John Edwards, Esq.

#### PROVOST-MARSHAL-GENERAL.

John Augustus Sullivan, esq.  
Chief Clerk, John V. Leach, esq.

#### DEPUTY-MARSHALS.

For the Kingston District, A. S. Lyon, esq.—Address, Kingston

For the St. Catherine District, D. P. Mendes, esq.—Address, Spanish-Town

For the St. James's District, Geo. Delisser, esq.—Address, Montego-Bay.

For the St. Ann's District, Isaac Morris, esq.—Address, Dry-Harbour P. O.

For the Clarendon District, Philip Solomons, esq.—Address, Mandeville

For the Westmorland District, Patrick C. Norton, esq.—Address, Savanna-la-Mar

For the Portland District, Abel H. Dowsewell, esq.—Address, Hope-Bay

For the St. Thomas in the East District, J. D. Cushion, esq.—Address, Bath P. O.

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Commissioner, W. G. Nunes, esq.

Deputy - Receiver - General, W. Knaggs, esq.

Distributor at Spanish-Town, Samuel Rennalls, esq.

Country Distributors, R. G. Marshall, Morant-Bay; John Lee, Plantain Garden River; J. R. Naylor, Manchioneal; C. V. Gannsen, Port - Antonio; E. Skyers, Buff-Bay; J. W. Gray, Port-Maria; Robert Stobie, Annotto-Bay; R. Carter, St. Ann's Bay; James Wilson, Dry-Harbour; A. Scott, Falmouth; Thomas Watson, Montego-Bay; R. L. Foster, Lucea; W. Williams, Savanna-la-Mar; W. L. Boxer, Black-River; J. Nash, Manchester; Jacob Lopez, Vere; J. Clunie, St. Thomas in the Vale.

#### OTHER OFFICERS.

Island Storekeeper, Hon. William Ramsay

Surveyor of Public Works and Island Engineer, Capt. J. H. St. John, Royal Artillery

Register General of Births and Deaths, The Island Secretary Agent - General of Immigration, Charles H. Darling, esq.

Inspector-General of Police, Alex. N. M'Leod, esq.

Inspector of Prisons, John Daugh-trey, esq.

Public Messenger, Wm. G. Nunes, esq.

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Interpreter, &c of Foreign Languages to the Courts of Equity and Justice, H. Vendryes, esq.

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

## COURT OF CHANCERY.

*Chancellor*, His Excellency the Governor

*Vice-Chancellor*, Hon. Edward Panton

*Register and Clerk of the Patents*, Robert Cargill, esq.

## MASTERS IN ORDINARY.

Hon. James Gayleard, George James Marshall, Walter Geo. Stewart, William Ramsay, J. Mackglashan, esqrs.

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*St. Thomas in the East*, John Drysdale, Robert Ferguson, esqrs.

*Clarendon*, James Brown, esq.  
*Manchester*, James Rowe William-son, John Harrison, Joseph Lewis, esqrs.

*St. Mary*, J. P. Bruce, Henry Rigg, esq.

*St. Ann*, Alex. T. Brown, esq.

*St. Elizabeth*, David Cooper, esq.  
*County of Middlesex*, Wm. Robb, Alexander Geddes, Edward Thompson, Joseph M'Donnell, esqrs.

*County of Surrey*, Samuel Pryce, Henry Forbes, John Fraser, John Weppler, esqrs. hon. Thomas M'Cornock, Henry Hutchings, John Phillips, H. Powell, Fred. Doyen, Alex. J. Brymer, Thos. M'Morine, esqrs.

*County of Cornwall*, Geo. Marrett, John Robert Brown, Thomas Watson, Thomas Whiteside, esqrs.

*For the Island*, Joseph Lewis, esq.

## COURT OF ORDINARY.

*Ordinary*, His Excellency the Governor

*Surrogate*, Hon. Edward Panton, Vice-Chancellor

*Clerk*, Walter Geo. Stewart, esq.

## APPEALS UPON ERRORS.

*Judges*, The Governor, Lieut. Governor, or Commander in Chief, and Members of her Majesty's Council for the time being  
*Clerk*, Walter Geo. Stewart, esq.

## VICE-ADMIRALTY.

*Judge and Commissary*, Hon. Sir Joshua Rowe, knt.

*Queen's Advocate*, Boswell Middleton, esq.

*Register*, \* Wm. B. King, esq.  
*Deputy ditto*, John Duff, esq.

*Receiver-General and Comptroller of Droits of Admiralty*, Henry Hutchings, esq.

*Proctor*, &c. Alex. W. Aikman, esq.

*Marshal and Sergeant at Mace*, J. W. Harris, esq.

*Interpreter of French and Spanish Languages*, Henry Vendryes, esq.

## ADMIRALTY SESSION.

*Commissioners*, The Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, President and Members of the Council, Chief and other Judges of the Island, Judge of the Court of Vice-Admiralty, Public Treasury, Public Secretary, Commander in Chief and Flag

Officers of the Squadron, and Captains and Commanders of Ships of War—all for the time being, under letters patent  
*Clerk of Arraigns, John Duff, esq.*

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[8 Vic. cap. 27, 1844.]

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## THE SUPREME COURTS.

The first Monday in February, June, and October, a fortnight for each sitting, if necessary.

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MIDDLESEX.—The Monday immediately after the expiration of the two weeks for each of the Supreme Courts.

CORNWALL.—The second Monday after the expiration of the two weeks for each of the Middlesex Assize Courts.

SURREY.—The first Monday in January, April, and August.

## COMMON PLEAS.

Kingston.		St. Andrew and St. Thos. in the East.		St. Mary and Clarendon.		Port-Royal.	
Last Day of Summ.	When Held.	Last Day of Summ.	When Held.	Last Day of Summ.	When Held.	Last Day of Summ.	When Held.
Feb. 16	Jan. 7		Jan. 6	Jan. 5	Jan 20	Jan. 27	Feb. 11
April 20	Mar 4	Mar. 16	Apr. 7	Mar. 6	Apr 21	April 28	May 13
June 16	July 1	June 15	July 7	July 6	July 21	July 28	Aug. 13
Aug. 18	Sept. 2	Sept. 21	Oct. 6	Oct. 5	Oct. 20	Oct 27	Nov. 11
Oct. 20	Nov. 4						
St. James, St. Elizabeth, and Vere.		Westmorland, Hanover, St. Ann, and Manchester.		Trelawny.		St. George.	
Last Day of Summ.	When Held.	Last Day of Summ.	When Held.	Last Day of Summ.	When Held.	Last Day of Summ.	When held.
Jan. 12	Jan. 27		Jan. 13	Jan. 26	Feb 10		Jan. 7
April 13	Apr. 28	March 23	Apr 14	April 27	May 12	March 17	April 1
July 13	July 28	June 22	July 14	July 27	Aug 11	June 16	July 1
Oct. 12	Oct. 27	Sept. 28	Oct. 13	Oct. 26	Nov 10	Sept. 15	Oct. 7

## QUARTER SESSIONS.

Kingston.		St. Catherine. a		Port-Royal.		Portland b	
February	17	January - -	6	February -	11	January - -	8
May	19	April - - -	7	May - - -	13	April - - -	9
August - -	19	July - - -	7	August - -	12	July - - -	9
November -	17	October - -	6	November -	11	October - -	8

a By an Act of the Legislature passed on the 6th December, 1839, a Court of Common Pleas will be held in future in St. Catherine on the same days as those of the Quarter-Sessions, and the last Days of Summoning for the present Year are as follow:—

For St. Catherine, Friday the 20th of March, Friday the 19th of June, and Friday the 18th of September; for the Town of St. Jago de la Vega, Saturday the 21st of March, Saturday the 20th of June, and Saturday the 19th of September; for St. John and St. Dorothy, on Wednesday the 18th March, Wednesday the 17th June, and Wednesday the 16th September.

b The Courts of Common Pleas for the Parish of Portland are held on the same days as those of the Quarter-Sessions, and the Last Days of Summoning are the 24th March, the 23d June, and the 22d September.

The Court of Common Pleas and Quarter Sessions for the Parish of St. David are to be held on the second Tuesday in January, April, July, and October; and those for Metcalfe on the first Friday in January, April, July, and October.

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 Wm. Dewar  
 Wm. H. Knott  
 Patrick Spence  
 ‡Joseph Carey  
 Alex. M'Kenzie  
 Richard Roe  
 Barnett Isaacs, esqrs.  
 ‡Hon. Thos. M'Neil  
 \*‡John V. Purrier  
 Israel L. Lewin  
 \*Samuel G. Barrett  
 Henry Laidlaw  
 Geo. M'F. Lawson, jun.  
 R. W. Buchanan  
 Edward Forster  
 John Ewart  
 \*Robert Cron  
 Robert Dewar  
 Thomas Watson  
 Wm. Clarke  
 \*Plummer Dewar  
 Robert Emery  
 C. W. Masters  
 Joseph Fray  
 Joseph Gill Jump  
 George L. Phillips  
 Peter M'Laren, esqrs.  
 Hon. T. P. Allwood

[Those marked thus \* are off the Island, and those thus ‡ are not residing in the Parishes.]

## STIPENDIARY MAGISTRATES.

*Names and Addresses.*

Abbott, Thomas .....	Kingston
Bell, William Anthony.....	Old-Harbour, St. Dorothy
Chamberlaine, Richard, jun.	Lucea, Hanover
Cocking, Ralph.....	Manchester
Daly, Richard .....	Manchional, Morant-Bay P. O.
Daughtrey, John .....	St. Andrew, Kingston P. O.
Dillon, Theobold Augustus	Rio-Bueno, Trelawny
Ewart, David.....	Morant-Bay, St. Thomas in the East
Emery, Robert .....	Falmouth, Trelawny
Fyfe, Alexander Gordon ...	Metcalf, Highgate P. O.
Grant, John William .....	Mandeville, Manchester
Gurley, John .....	Goshen, St. Elizabeth
Hill, Richard.....	Spanish-Town, St. Catherine
Jackson, Thomas Witter ..	Linstead, St. Thomas in the Vale
Kelly, Daniel W. ....	Falmouth, Trelawny
Kent, Henry .....	Port-Royal Mountains, Kingston P. O.
Laidlaw, Henry.....	St. James, Montego-Bay P. O.
Lambert, Richard Sydney..	Port-Royal, Kingston P. O.
Mahon, Bernard ...	S. Andrew, Kingston P. O.
Marlton, Wm. Fraser .....	Port-Maria, St. Mary
Pringle, Hall.....	Lime Savanna, Clarendon
Pryce, Samuel.....	Kingston
Ramsay, Hon. Wm.....	Spanish-Town, St. Catherine
Ricketts, Samuel R. ....	Black-River, St. Elizabeth
Walsh, Henry.....	Salt-Gut, St. Mary
Willis, George.....	Yallahs, St. David
Woolfrys, John .....	Moneague, St. Ann

## ISLAND POLICE.

ALEX. N. M'LEOD, *Inspector-General.**Names and Districts of Inspectors.*

R. A. Leake .....	Kingston
Alexander Nairn .....	St. Catherine and St. Dorothy
Edward Livingston .....	St. Andrew and Port-Royal—acting
Nicholas Armstrong .....	St. Thomas in the East and St. David

George Bennett .....	St. George and Portland
A. Bayly .....	St. Mary and Metcalfe
W. N. Lewis .....	St. Ann
Alexander Shaw .....	Trelawny
Edward Rutledge .....	St. James
John O'Neill .....	Hanover
James Dalhouse .....	Westmorland
John Lord .....	St. Elizabeth
J. C. Marlton .....	Manchester
R. D. Hopkins .....	Clarendon and Vere
James Dunne .....	St. Thomas in the Vale and St. John

Mr. Alexander Sinclair, *Auditor.*

## CORONERS.

### COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX.

*St. Catherine*, Philip Redwood, esq.  
*St. Dorothy*, Dr. Lawson  
*St. Thos. the Vale*, Peter F. Gar-  
 rigues, esq.  
*Clarendon*, Robert Jackson, esq.  
*Vere*, Wm. Dowell, esq.  
*Manchester*, Michael Muirhead,  
 esq.  
*St. Mary*, Rook C. Plunkett, esq.  
*St. Ann*, Samuel W. Rose, esq.

### COUNTY OF SURREY.

*Kingston*, John Weppler, esq.  
*Port-Royal, the town*,  
 — White, esq.

### *Port-Royal, the country,*

Dr. A. C. Dallas  
*St. Andrew*, John Ashburne, esq.  
*St. Thomas the East*, Charles O.  
 Hodgson, esq.  
*St. David*, David M'Lean, esq.  
*Portland*, David Gordon, esq.  
*St. George*, Robert Dunbar, esq.  
*Metcalfe*, George A. Shaw, esq.

### COUNTY OF CORNWALL.

*St. Elizabeth*, C. L. Ramson, esq.  
*Hanover*, J. R. Johnson, esq.  
*Westmorland*, John Deleon, esq.  
*Trelawny*, Thos. Whiteside, esq.  
*St. James*, Edward Evans, esq.

## CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.

## OFFICERS.

## KINGSTON.

Collector, Isaac G. Swainson, esq.  
 Controller, Wm. G. Freeman, esq.  
 First Clerk, J. T. Anderson, esq.  
 Second Clerk, A. W. Moir, esq.  
 Third Clerk, John Graves, esq.  
 Fourth Clerk, W. F. Wilmshurst, esq.

Landing and Tide Surveyor, R. B. Berry, esq.

Landing Waiters and Searchers, G. B. Elliot, F. H. Smith, James Davis, D. Beard, W. F. Moltene, H. Evans, Wm. Morphy, esqrs.  
 Warehouse Keeper, P. Owen, esq.  
 Assist. ditto, Thos. Heron, esq.

First Locker, Horatio Cross, esq.  
 Second ditto, J. Horton, esq.  
 Third ditto, R. Aguilar, esq.

## PORT-ROYAL.

Tide Surveyor, C. G. Bruce, esq.

## OLD-HARBOUR.

Sub-Collector and Landing Waiter and Searcher, J. M. Harding, esq.

## MORANT-BAY.

Sub-Collector and Landing Surveyor, Robert Gordon, esq.  
 Landing Waiter and Searcher and Tide Surveyor, R. Camming, esq.

## PORT-MORANT.

Sub-Collector and Waiter and Searcher, Wm. Houlston, esq.

## PORT-ANTONIO.

Sub-Collector and Landing Surveyor, F. W. Martlock, esq.  
 Landing Waiter and Searcher and Tide Surveyor, C. J. Gaussen, esq.

## PORT-MARIA AND ANNOTTO-BAY.

## At Port-Maria.

Sub-Collector and Landing Surveyor, Thomas Morle, esq.

Landing Waiter and Searcher and Tide Surveyor, Wm. Milne

## At Annotto-Bay.

Sub-Collector and Landing Waiter and Searcher, W. M. Fox, esq.

Clerk, F. C. Harding, esq.

## FALMOUTH, RIO-BUENO, AND ST.

## ANN'S BAY.

## At Falmouth.

Sub-Collector and Warehouse Keeper, Nathan Ashby, esq.

Landing Waiter and Searcher, Maxwell Reeve, esq.

## At Rio-Bueno.

Sub-Collector and Landing Waiter and Searcher, J. M. Wheeler, esq.

## At St. Ann's Bay.

Sub-Collector and Landing Waiter and Searcher, Stephen Bourne, jun. esq.

Clerk, C. Smith, esq.

## MONTEGO-BAY AND LUCEA.

## At Montego-Bay.

Sub-Collector, Jon Roby, esq.

Clerk to ditto and Warehouse Keeper, M. Laidman, esq.

Landing Tide Surveyor, Arthurs Brown, esq.

Landing Waiters and Searchers, J. R. Ferguson, Alexr. Holmes, jun. (acting), esqrs.

## At Lucea.

Sub-Collector and Landing Waiter and Searcher, R. L. Foster, esq.

Clerk, F. W. G. Wilson, esq.

## SAVANNA-LA-MAR AND BLACK-RIVER.

## At Savanna-la-Mar.

Sub-Collector and Landing Surveyor, S. Buckingham, esq.

Landing Waiter and Searcher and Tide Surveyor, J. D. Baillie, esq.

## At Black-River.

Sub-Collector and Landing Waiter and Searcher, W. L. Boxer, esq.

Officers appointed under the Island Act "Laying a duty on Imports and Exports."

## At Kingston.

Clerks, John Davis, John Morce, Henry Davis, esqrs.

Ten Tidewaiters established.

Seventeen Tidewaiters stationed at the several Outposts.

## POST-OFFICE DEPARTMENT.

## DEPUTY POSTMASTER-GENERAL,

Hon. John Wilson.

Chief Clerk, E. C. Burckhardt, esq.

Assistants, James Jenkins, Robert B. Lord, Geo. G. Baines,

James W. Carver, esqrs.

Solicitors, Messrs. Barnett, McNeil, &amp; Minot.

## GENERAL POST-OFFICE.

North-east corner of Lower Church  
and Port-Royal streets.

## POSTMASTERS.

Southside to Windward.

Port-Royal	T. Depass
St. David	M. Benjamin
Morant-Bay	H. Williams
Port-Morant	F. Shoult
Bath	John Duffey
Manchioneal	J. R. Naylor

Portland.

Annotto-Bay	G. Scotland
Buff-Bay	John L. James
Hope-Bay	J. A. Francis
Port-Antonio	Geo. Matthews

Northside.

Rodney-Hall	L. S. Roach
Pear Tree Grove	J. Stevenson
Highgate	James Cohen
Port-Maria	Arthur Girod
Moneague	S. D. Lindo
Ocho-Rios	D. Collie
Salt-Gut	Henry Rigg
St. Ann's Bay	B. Martin
Alexandria	Thos. Borland
Dry-Harbour	James Wilson
Rio-Bueno	James Stewart
Duncan's	Vacant
Falmouth	Archibald Scott
Little-River	R. Wilson

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Montego Bay	Thos. Watson
Flint River	R. Jackson
Lucea	Josh. Hayward
Green Island	M. Munro

Southside to Leeward.

Spanish-Town	W. J. Salmon
Old-Harbour	C. Farquharson
Vere	John Scott
Mandeville	M. Taylor
Clarendon	Robert Smith
Chapelton	Nicholas Grose
May-Hill	George Rudd
Goshen	Robt. Muschett
Lacovia	Vacant
Black-River	A. J. Monteath
Robin's River	S. P. Campbell
Sav.-la-Mar	J. W. Fraser
Grange-Hill	Mary H. Aird

## POST ROADS.

Windward. Miles

Kingston to St. David	19
St. David to Blue-Mountain	8
Blue-Mountain to Morant-Bay	8
Morant-Bay to Port-Morant	7
Port-Morant to Bath	6
Bath to Amity-Hall	7
Amity-Hall to Manchioneal	9
	—
	64

Northside to Port-Antonio.

Kingston to Annotto-Bay	30
Annotto-Bay to Buff-Bay	10

Buff-Bay to Hope-Bay	10	Little-River to Montego-Bay	11
Hope-Bay to Port-Antonio	10	Montego-Bay to Flint-River	12
	—	Flint-River to Lucea	11
	60	Lucea to Green-Island	12
<i>Northside to Port-Maria.</i>			
Kingston to Highgate	32		
Highgate to Port-Maria	10	<i>Southside to Savanna-la-Mar.</i>	
	—	Kingston to Spanish-Town	13
	42	Spanish-Town to Old-Harbour	12
<i>Northside to Green-Island.</i>		Old-Harbour to Clarendon	11
Kingston to Spanish-Town	13	Clarendon to Mandeville	
Spanish-Town to Rodney-Hall	14	Mandeville to May-Hill	
Rodney-Hall to Moneague	16	May-Hill to Goshen	
Moneague to Ocho Rios	12	Goshen to Black-River	
Ocho Rios to St. Ann	8	Black-River to Robin's River	12
St. Ann to Dry-Harbour	15	Robin's River to Sav.-la-Mar	16
Dry-Harbour to Rio-Bueno	7	Savanna-la-Mar to Grange	
Rio-Bueno to Falmouth	17	Hill ... ..	16
Falmouth to Little-River	12		

The Mails for all parts of the island are closed at 4 o'clock, P.M. every Thursday, and despatched from the General-Post-Office the same day at half past five, P.M. The return Mail arrives at six, A.M. every Wednesday, and the letters are delivered at the General-Post-Office the same day at nine o'clock, A.M. A Mail for Spanish-Town leaves the General-Post-Office daily at a quarter past eight, A.M. and at noon, and return Mails reach the General-Post-Office at a quarter past ten, A.M. and at two P.M.



## CONSULS GENERAL.

*Of her Most Catholic Majesty the  
Queen of Spain.*

Don Juan de Cantillo, (Lower  
East-street)

## VICE-CONSULS.

Chas. Duquesnay, esq. Kingston  
R. Dewar, esq. Montego-Bay  
Montague Salmon, esq. Falmouth  
A. J. Brymer, esq. Port-Antonio  
John Campbell, esq. Lucea  
J. W. Fraser, esq. Sav.-la-Mar  
John B. Wells, esq. Black-River  
Charles Stewart, esq. (Jas. Mea-  
cock, esq. actg.) Port-Maria  
John Gough, esq. Honduras

*Of Prussia.*

Hon. Joseph Gordon

*Of the United States.*

Robert Munroe Harrison, esq.  
(Lower East-street)

## VICE-CONSULS.

W. H. Harrison, Kingston  
Alex. Barclay, esq. Port-Morant  
Hugh Paterson, esq. Morant-Bay  
A. J. Brymer, esq. Port-Antonio  
Edward Bond, esq. Annotto-Bay  
Alex. Lindo, esq. Port-Maria  
Montague Salmon, esq. Falmouth  
R. Dewar, esq. Montego-Bay  
John Campbell, esq. Lucea  
J. W. Fraser, esq. Sav.-la-Mar  
J. B. Wells, esq. Black-River  
N. U. B. Glover, esq. Grand  
Caymanas  
John Gough, esq. Honduras

*Of New Grenada, Ecuador, and  
Venezuela.*

Don Juan de Francisco de Mar-  
tin, (King-street)

**Mixed British and Portuguese Commission.****FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF THE SLAVE TRADE.**

Established in Jamaica under the Treaty of the 3d July, 1842, and the  
Act of the Imperial Parliament, 6 & 7 Vic. c. 53.

*British Commissioner.*

David Turnbull, esq.

*Portuguese Commissioner.*

Chevalier J. J. Altavilla

*British Arbitrator.*

Arthur Richard Hamilton, esq.

*Portuguese Arbitrator.*

Chevalier Jaoa D'Ameida de la  
Figaniere

*Registrar.*

Sydney John James, esq.

*Messenger.*

Mr. C. M. Laulanie

Office, 8, Duke-street, Kingston.

## BANKS.

## COLONIAL BANK.

17 Wm. 4, c. 18.

*Nos. 43 & 44, Port-Royal Street.**Incorporated by Royal Charter in 1836, and established in this island on the 13th May, 1837.**Manager, George Estridge, esq.**Accountant, Thomas Ellis, esq.**Cashier, John B. Sorapure, esq.**Assist. Cashier, Robt. Burns, esq.**Bookkeeper, C. R. Brown, esq.**Bill Collector, Robt. Lambert, esq.**General Clerks, Messrs. E. O. Robins, and Wm. Pestell**Solicitors, Messrs. Hill, Davis, Land, & Airey, 83, Duke-street*

## BRANCH BANKS.

*At Montego-Bay.**Actg. Manager, W. Anderson, esq.**Actg. Accountant and Cashier, H. Passley, esq.**Clerk, John Billinger, esq.*

## AGENCIES.

*At. Sav.-la-Mar, C. Braine, esq.**At St. Ann's Bay, Messrs. Bravo, Bro. & Co.**At Falmouth, Messrs. W. Seivwright & Co.**Stationed at Barbadoes.**Superintendent General, Thos. H. Milner, esq.**Inspector of Branches, George Estridge, esq.**Other Branches.*

## BARBADOS.

*Manager, Wm. Murray, jun. esq.**Actg. Accountant, Thos. Knowles, esq.**Cashier, James Wm. Hill, esq.*

## TRINIDAD.

*Manager, Wm. Rennie, esq.**Accountant, John Alex. Tench, esq.**Cashier, Geo. T. Dalrymple, esq.*

## GRENADA.

*Manager, Richard Steele, esq.**Accountant, S. B. Hamman, esq.*

## ST. VINCENT.

*Manager, Alex. Kyd Wight, esq.**Accountant, David Smith, esq.*

## ST. LUCIA.

*Manager, Alex. M'Combie, esq.**Accountant, Charles W. Glanville, esq.*

## DOMINICA.

*Manager, Hon. Theodore Gordon**Accountant, Geo. Garraway, jun. esq.*

## ANTIGUA.

*Manager, S. L. Bridges, esq.**Accountant, Wm. Burke Omaley, esq.*

## ST. KITT'S.

*Manager, Samuel Baird, esq.**Accountant, George Steele, esq.*

## DEMERARA.

*Manager, Peter Rose, esq.**Actg. Accountant, W. R. Johnstone, esq.**Cashier, John C. Campbell, esq.*

## BERBICE.

*Manager, Thomas Nimmo, esq.**Accountant, Charles Sherlock, esq.*

## ST. THOMAS.

*Manager, Robert Comrie, esq.**Accountant, John King, esq.**Cashier, F. S. Norman, esq.*

## ST. CROIX.

*Manager, James Brown, esq.**Accountant, Hugh Kyd Wight, esq.*

## CARACCAS.

*Manager, Leandro Miranda, esq.**Accountant, W. A. Fellor, esq.**Cashier, W. Adolphe Andral, esq.*

## PORTO-RICO.

*Manager, Rich. Davis Jacob, esq.**Accountant, Alex. Manon, esq.*

**BANK OF JAMAICA.**

Nos. 15, 16, & 17, *East Port-Royal street.*

Established 1st September, 1836.

**DIRECTORS.**

*President*, James Townson, esq.

*Vice-President*, Wm. Wright, esq.

*Directors*, James Derbyshire, S.

Hendrick, N. R. Darrell, John  
Nethersole, esqrs.

*Manager*, Thos. A. Cargill, esq.

*Cashier*, Isaac Jones, esq.

*Accountants*, Mr. W. A. Hamilton  
and Mr. Henry Glennie

*Bill Collector*, Mr. J. D. Ford

*Clerk*, Mr. C. M. Carver

*Solicitors*, Messrs. Barnett, McNeil,  
& Minot

*London Bankers*, Masterman & Co.  
*New-York ditto*, Maitland, Conrie,  
& Co.

**AGENTS.**

At Falmouth, Phineas Abraham,  
esq. ; at Montego-Bay, Joseph  
Fray, esq. ; at Port-Antonio, A.  
J. Brymer, esq. ; at Lucea,  
Henry Phillips, esq. ; at Sav-  
la-Mar, Richard Pessoa, esq. ;  
at Morant-Bay, T. Thomson,  
esq.

**PLANTERS' BANK.**

4 Vic. c. 17.

*Church and Harbour streets.*

Joint Stock Bank under a Deed of  
Settlement

*President*, Hon. Duncan Robertson

*Acting Directors*, Richard James  
C. Hitchins, esq. (Chairman) ;  
Hon. Joseph Gordon, (Vice-  
Chairman).

*Directors*, John Gordon, W. M.  
Anderson, Wm. Titley, Robt.  
Taylor, Andrew Simpson, and  
Henry Hutchings, esqrs.

*Auditors*, George W. Gordon and  
Henry Franklyn, esqrs.

*Secretary*, James Franklin, esq.

*Cashier*, Peter A. Espeut, esq.

*Assist. Cashier*, Geo. Orrett, esq.

*Accountants*, Messrs John Bad-  
ley and Wm. H. Harrison

*Bill Collector*, Mr. Wm. Arnold  
*Solicitors*, Messrs. Thomas and  
Franklin

*Bankers in London*, W. H. Har-  
rison ; The Union Bank of  
London ; William Banks, esq.  
New-York ; and the West-India  
Bank, Barbados

*Agents*, Messrs. Walcott and Ne-  
pew, at Savanna-la-Mar ; Tho-  
mas Watson, esq. at Montego-  
Bay ; C. Heighington, at Fal-  
mouth ; R. Parkinson, esq. at  
St. Ann's ; J. W. Grey, esq. at  
Port-Maria ; Thos. McMorine,  
esq. at Port-Antonio ; Messrs.  
Watson and Mowat, Lucea ;  
Messrs. Morrison and Salmon,  
Spanish Town

## SAVINGS BANKS.

Established by the Act of the Legislature, 7 Wm. IV. cap. 14.  
*Revising Barrister, Charles M. Farquharson, esq.*

## KINGSTON BANK.

*Patrons*, His excellency the Governor, his honor the President of the Council, the Lord Bishop, and his honor the Chief-Justice.

*Trustees*, The venerable Archdeacon Pope, William Titley, esq. Rev. T. B. Turner, John Mais, esq. Henry Hutchings, esq.

*Managers*, The venerable Archdeacon Pope, Rev. T. B. Turner, Rev. Wm. Mayhew, Rev. Wm. Smith, William Titley, John Fowles, Edward Jordon, Barth. I. Williams, John Mais, John Nethersole, Robt. Osborn, John Samuel Brown, Daniel Hart, Wm. Nethersole, Richard J. C. Hitchins, Joseph Gordon, H. Lord Garrigues, Henry Hutchings, James Townson, esqrs.

*Treasurer*, Rev. T. B. Turner

This bank is established for the purpose of affording a safe and convenient place of deposit, and a secure and profitable means of investment to the lower classes of Kingston and other parishes, for

such sums of money as they may be enabled to save.

The bank is opened at the new court-house, Harbour-street, Kingston, for the reception of deposits.

Deposits of any sums, from one shilling, but not exceeding two hundred pounds in the whole in any one year, and will be received every Saturday by one or more of the managers, between the hours of twelve and two o'clock.

Interest will be allowed at 4 per cent. per annum upon each entire sum of three pounds deposited.

When occasion requires, the whole or any part of the money may be withdrawn. It has been found eligible, in order to protect the depositors against error or fraud, that a short notice of such intention be given. Therefore, one week's notice must be given, (upon a Saturday,) previous to withdrawing any sum under five pounds. Two weeks' notice must be given, (upon a Saturday,) previous to withdrawing any sum above five pounds.

*Dr. Statement of the Kingston Savings Bank on the 31st Oct. 1845. Cr.*

1845, Oct. 31.	1844, Oct. 31.
To amount due to sundry depositors on this day, including interest	By Island Treasury for amount invested to date, with interest
£10,363 3 4	£10,476 13 6
To amount at credit of the trustee's account to date	By cash in treasurer's hands on this date
166 4 9	152 16 7
10,529 10 1	10,329 10 1
The amount invested in the Island Treasury on the 1st May, 1845, was	9,143 10 2
Increase in the six months ending on this date	1,585 19 11
N. B. £3622 14s. 2d. have been paid into the Bank during the last half year.	

The number of depositors have increased 38 during the above period, making at present 467.

A branch of this Bank is established in Spanish-Town.

The Rev. T. B. Turner, the treasurer, will attend in that town the first and third Fridays in every month, to receive deposits.

It is hoped this arrangement will be the means of affording a safe and convenient place of deposit, and a secure and profitable means of investment to the middle and lower classes of Spanish-Town and the adjoining parishes for such sums of money as they may be enabled to save, and prove of as great benefit to them as that of Kingston to its inhabitants.

### ST. JAMES'S BANK.

Established 17th November, 1835.

[7 Wm. IV. cap. 74.]

Patron, His Excellency the Governor

Presidents, The Custos of the Parish and the Hon. G. M. Lawson

Vice-President, The Rev. John M'Intyre

Trustees, William Boyd, George Gordon, John Mandersou, Hon. J. V. Purrier, George L. Phillips, John S. Waite, esqrs.

Treasurer, Thomas Watson, esq.

Managers, Thomas Brown, Geo. Cragg, S. G. Corinaldi, Dr. J. E. Chambers, W. Dewar, W. O. Dunbar, G. Delisser, Josp. Fray, Edw. Fray, Sam. Gray, James Gray, James Gordon, esqrs. the Rev. Thomrs Garrett, Moses Gedelia, John Kerr, Alexander Holmes, Lawrence Hyslop, Barnett Isaacs, Cecil L. Isaacs, Joseph G. Jump, Dr. G. M. Lawson, Dr. Patrick Spence, Sam. H. Solomon, Richard Turnbull, G. R. Ruthven, Robert Vidal, esqrs.

Secretary, Sidney Levien, esq.

### REPORT OF 1st MAY, 1845.

There have been 112 new deposit accounts opened with the Bank during the past year, 769 being the total number.

The amount of deposits received from May 1, 1844, has

been ... .. £5230 6 5½

The amount of withdrawals during the same period 4362 3 0

Increase of deposits over withdrawals ... 868 3 5½

The total amount of deposits received from the commencement ... ..

£25,788 4 2

Ditto ditto withdrawals ditto ... .. 14,043 10 5½

Total increase of deposits ... .. 11,744 13 8½

The interest received from the island for this year's deposit, is ... .. 772 12 6

The Bank has in the island chest at date, including interest ... .. 13,881 4 0

The Treasurer has in hand a balance of ... .. 115 8 9

To show the gradual progression of the Bank, it may be stated that the institution commenced 17th November, 1838, and that on the 1st May, 1839, there was vested in the island chest

Ditto 1840 ditto ... .. 3407 0 8

Ditto 1841 ditto ... .. 5244 13 8

Ditto 1842 ditto ... .. 7147 16 5

Ditto 1843 ditto ... .. 8462 10 2

Ditto 1844 ditto ... .. 12,314 19 4

And on the 1st May, 1845, there is ... .. 13,881 4 0

This institution allows interest at the rate of  $4\frac{1}{2}\%$  cent. per annum, being the highest rate of interest allowed by law.

1845.

*Statements of Assets and Liabilities.*

May 1	To deposits received to date	£25,780	4	2		
	To interest ditto	...	2,636	0	$4\frac{1}{4}$	
	By deposits withdrawn and paid					14,043 10 $5\frac{1}{4}$
	By public of Jamaica in the island chest	...				13,881 4 0
	By expenses of the institution					884 1 4
	By treasurer's balance in his hands	...				115 8 9
			£28,424	4	$6\frac{1}{4}$	28,424 4 $6\frac{1}{4}$

We cannot refrain from congratulating the parish of St. James on the success of this Bank. It is an institution standing first in the island in public confidence, and taking the lead of all in the number of its depositors, and in the amount of its deposits. From the commencement of its operations in 1838, the large sum of £25,788 4s. 2d. has been deposited, and at the present moment (May 1845), it holds deposits amounting to £13,520 2s. 7d. which sum includes interest that has become principal; and to what is this successful issue to be ascribed? It cannot be denied that it is the responsible security of the gentlemen who act as trustees, to the respectability of the president and managers, to the well-known integrity of its treasurer; and last, though not least, to the attention and able manner in which the business of the institution is conducted by the secretary, who is the sole clerk, and only paid officer of the institution; and it cannot be too generally known, that the services of all the officers of the bank, including the treasurer, are gratuitous, the law strictly forbidding any of them from receiving any emolument, either directly or indirectly.

It is open on Friday in each week for the transaction of business. One manager and the secretary attend. One shilling is

the lowest deposit received. The quarterly meetings are held on the third Tuesday in August, November, and February. The annual meeting in May.

## TRELAWNY.

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## ECCLESIASTICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

*The Lord Bishop of Jamaica, the Bahama Islands, and the Settlements of Honduras, and their respective dependencies.*

The Honorable and Right Reverend AUBREY G. SPENCER, D.D.  
Archdeacon and Vicar-General of the whole Diocese, The Venerable  
EDWARD POPE, D.D.

*Ditto ditto for the Bahamas, The Venerable J. M. TREW, D.D.*

Rural Deans and Commissaries, {  
For Middlesex, Rev. Sam. P. Musson, D.D.  
For Surrey, Rev. Richard Panton, D.D.  
For Cornwall, Rev. Thos. P. Williams, D.D.  
Rev. Geo. Augustus Addison, B.A.

Chaplains, {  
Rev. John McGrath, L.L.D.  
Rev. William Rowe, B.A.  
Rev. William Mayhew, B.A.  
Rev. Thomas Stewart, S.C.L.

Registrar, Charles Miller Farquharson, esq.

Apparitor,\*

[For Clergy of the Diocese see next page.]

## The Rector's Fund.

For the benefit of Widows and Orphans of Rectors of the Established Church.

(See 3 Vic. c. 60, and 6 Vic. c. 49.)

Trustees, The President of the Council, Bishop of Jamaica, Speaker of the Assembly, Chief Justice, Attorney - General, Members of Assembly for St. Catherine and Kingston, Rec-  
tors of Port-Royal, St. Catherine, and St. Andrew, for the time being, five of whom form a quorum  
Treasurer, The Receiver-General  
Clerk, Wm. Garrigues, esq.

## STATEMENT OF THE FUND TO 30TH SEPT. 1845.

1844, 30th Sept.

Amount of total balance or capital of the fund this day ... ..

£19,135 10 7

Balance of appropriable fund this day 1845, 30th Sept. £254 8 10

Deductions from the clergy stipends for one year, three-fourths of which are applicable to the appropriable fund

415 16 0 138 12 0

One year's interest on £19,135 10s. 7d.

applicable to same fund, at 6  $\frac{1}{2}$  cent. 1148 2 7

£1818 7 5 19,274 2



## List of the Clergy in the Diocese of Jamaica.

COUNTIES AND PARISHES.	RECTORS.	ISLAND CURATES.	STIPENDIARY AND ASSIST. CURATES.
St Catherine	S P Musson, D D	Wm N Ashby W S Coward Rector's Substitute George Cheyne Wm Broadley Wm Hylton Robert Steer A J Davidson Josias Cork	J M Myers, B A  George C Bailey  Thos B Cuhasac, Rector's Substitute John R Chisholm Rector's Substitute
St John	James Dawson		
St Dorothy	G W Rowe		
St Thos the Vale	W G P Burton		
Clarendon	S H Stewart, LLD		
Vere	R Robinson, B A	Hugh Reid E Husband, B A D K Littell John Thomas Stevens John Stone Wood J Davidson Thomas C Rose John Cooke, B A	H Girod J K Lipscomb George Brown Thos Davis
Marchester	Robert W Dallas		
St Mary	W Girod		
St Ann	John Smith		
Kingston	Ven Arch Pope, D D	Thomas B Turner J M Grath, L L D Charles Fyffe R Panton, D D Wm Rowe, B A	Wm Mayhew, B G G Spence David R. Morris J Campbell C M Claverty, A M John Morris Joseph Gegg Evan Jones C A Cooper
Port-Royal	Charles F Hall		
St Andrew	Alex Campbell		
St Thos the East	Stephen H Cooke	T Wharton, B A W Stearns Nathan Ashby S J Jackson T T T Orgill, B A Henry Brown David Osborn J F Sessing	F Gibson
St David	Wm T Paterson		
Portland	J C Stone		
St George	Charles T May		
Metcalfe	R Forbes		
St Elizabeth	T P Williams, DD	Chas J P Douet Wm Forbes	James Waters W Smith F Redford Wm Smith R J Bucknor John P Jones C W Winkler John Stainsby, BA
Westmorland	T Stewart, S C L	Daniel Fidler Edward Galbraith W Caird, B A H G Lawson	
Hanover	John Stainsby		
St James	J M Intyre, M A	Thos Garret, B A G A Addison, B A J S Le Gros, B A Joseph Williams H B Gegg	H Pritchard
Trelawny	Griffith Griffiths		
Honduras (Belize)	Matthew Newport		James S Reid, BA Edgar A Deacon, Stipendiary Curates
Christchurch	W Strachan, D D		
St Matthews	D Darnell, B A		
Turk's Island	Chas Matlock, BA		
Harbour Island	W K Duncombe		

## The Island Curates' Fund.

Established under the Act 8 Vic. c. 38.

Trustees, The Lord Bishop, the Chief-Justice, the Hon. the President of the Council, the Hon. the Vice-Chancellor, the Hon. the Speaker of the Assembly, the Hon. the Attorney-General, with the Members of Assembly for St. Catherine, Kingston, Port-Royal, and St. Andrew, all the Island Curates, and the Chaplains of the General Penitentiary

Secretary, Rev. T. B. Turner

The annual allowances to widows and children are fixed for seven years, viz. :—

To a widow £45; to first class orphan £22 10s.; to second class orphan £15. At the expiration of seven years the scheme of

distributions to be readjusted. The quarterly meetings of the trustees (of whom three is a quorum, one being a layman) are to be held on the first Thursday in January, April, July, and October.

Stipendiary Curates may be admitted as members on the terms stated in the Act.

Members are to make annual returns in the form to be sent them by the Secretary.

Widows and children of Island Curates who have died since the 31st December, 1842, entitled to benefits under the Act.

First quarterly payment will be due on the first Thursday in July 1845.

*State of the Island Curates' Fund, from the 30th September, 1844, to the 30th September, 1845.*

1844.

Sept. 30	Amount at credit of the fund on this date	£1096	6	3
Dec. 30	Received from forty-two curates £6 6s. each, for quarter ending on this date	...	264	12 0

1845.

Mar. 30	Received from forty-three curates £6 6s. each, ditto ditto	...	270	18 0
June 30	Received from forty-three curates £6 6s. each, ditto ditto	...	270	18 0
Sept. 30	Received from forty-three curates £6 6s. each, ditto ditto	...	270	18 0
	Amount of interest due to the fund on this date	...	90	9 4

2263 12 7

Deduct sundry payments	...	206	12	10
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At credit of fund in island treasury on 30th September, 1845	...	2056	19	9
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**Jamaica Diocesan Church Society.**

Founded at Spanish Town on the 1st of March, 1844.

**NAMES OF THE OFFICERS.**

The President of the Council	W. W. Mackeson
The Hon. the Vice-Chancellor	W. G. Stewart
The Hon. J. T. Bernard	James Allwood, esqrs.
The Hon. Dr. Turner	Capt. Darling
The Hon. W. C. M'Dougall	Dr. Morales
His Honor the Custos	P. Moncrieffe
Bryan Edwards	J. Cargill, esqrs.
Richard Hill	

**KINGSTON BRANCH ASSOCIATION.**

<i>Patron</i> , The Lord Bishop	dens and Treasurer, and the
<i>President</i> , The Venerable Arch- deacon Pope	Secretary
<i>Treasurer</i> , B. I. Williams, esq.	[Donations, or annual contri- butions, will be thankfully re- ceived by the Rev. T. B. Turner, the Rev. Dr. M'Grath, and the Rev. Wm. Mayhew.]
<i>Secretary</i> , Rev. Wm. Mayhew	
<i>Committee</i> ,—The officiating Clergy of the parish, the Churchwar-	

**MANCHESTER BRANCH ASSOCIATION.**

<i>Patron</i> , His honor the Custos	Robinson, Charles Newman,
<i>President</i> , Thomas Wheattle, esq.	jun. George Rudd, esqrs. and
<i>Directors</i> , Michael Muirhead, Charles Newman, sen. Wm. Newman, Thomas Huffender, C. M. Ingram, esqrs.	Messrs. Buckland, Valentine, and Patterson
<i>Committee of Management</i> , Peart	<i>Treasurer</i> , Michael Muirhead, esq.
	<i>Secretary</i> , Rev. Thomas Stevens.

**ST. JAMES'S BRANCH ASSOCIATION.**

<i>President</i> , Rev. J. M'Intyre, M.A.	<i>Secretaries</i> , Rev. Thomas Garrett,
<i>Vice-Presidents</i> , Hon. G. M. Lawson, John Roby, G. Gor- don, John Manderson, G. M. Lawson, jun. J. Gordon, esqrs.	B.A. Rev. Geo. Addison, B.A. Robert Vidal, esq.
	<i>Treasurer</i> , Thomas Watson, esq.

**TRELAWNY BRANCH ASSOCIATION.**

<i>Committee</i> , The Rector, Church- wardens, and Charles E. Fry, Stuart Edwards, John Davies, Mich. Cooke, Swain L. M'Do-	nald, Nathan Ashby, and John Castello, esqrs.
	<i>Secretary</i> , A. F. Robinson, esq.
	<i>Treasurer</i> , C. Heighington, esq.

## Church of Scotland.

## KINGSTON.

*Officiating Minister*, Rev. John M. Auld

*Elders*, Hinton Spalding, M.D.,  
Wm. Cathcart, Francis Elliott,  
esqrs. John Ferguson, M.D.,  
J. W. Cator, Thos. Thomson,  
John Edwards, esqrs. James  
Macfadyen, M.D.

*Treasurer and Secretary*, William  
Duff, esq.

*Organist*, Mr. C. F. Hausman

## FREE CHURCH.

*Falmouth, Trelawny.*

*Minister*, Rev. Walter Thorburn

*Elders*, Patrick Anderson, Dun-  
can Campbell, Alex. B. Todd,  
James Innes, William Smith,  
and Thomas Dawkins, esqrs.

*Treasurer and Secretary*, Archi-  
bald Scott, esq.

Jamaica Branch Society for promoting Christian  
Knowledge.

Established on the 20th May, 1836.

*Patron*, His Excellency the Go-  
vernor

*Vice Patron*,\*

*President*, The Right Rev. the  
Lord Bishop

*Vice ditto*, Sir Joshua Rowe, knt.

*Standing Committee*, The Vener-  
able Archdeacon Pope, D.D.  
Rev. Alex. Campbell, Rev.  
J. Magrath, L.L.D. Rev. T.  
B. Turner, Rev. R. Robin-  
son, B.B.

*Treasurer*, B. I. Williams, esq.

*Secretary*, Rev. John McGrath,  
L.L.D.

*Librarian*,\*

The Sub - Committee meet  
monthly at the Central School,  
Church street, and the Commit-  
tee quarterly.

A Subscriber of five dollars is  
considered a Member of the So-  
ciety.

The Librarian disposes of books  
tracts, &c. agreeably to the fol-  
lowing regulations:—

1. To members, at the prices  
charged in the society's cata-  
logue; to non-members, at the  
rate of five dollars to the pound  
sterling, with 25 per cent. for  
charges.

2. To Clergymen, entitled to  
one moiety of donations and sub-  
scriptions in the books, at the  
same rate, with 50 per cent. in-  
cluding charges.

3. To non-members, at the  
same rate, with 75 per cent. in-  
cluding all charges.

**London Missionary Society.**

Kingston, Rev. Geo. Wilkinson, Missionary, and Mr. David Walker, Schoolmaster	Tellus, Rev. John Gibson Mount Regale, Rev. E. Holland First Hill, Trelawny, Mr. James Milne
Shortwood, Rev. F. W. Wheeler, Missionary, and Mr. John Isaacs, Schoolmaster	Dry Harbour and Claremont, Rev. T. H. Clarke, Mission- ary, and Mr. Joseph Miller, Schoolmaster
Chapelton, Rev. Robert Jones, and Mr. William Pinnock, schoolmaster	Morant-Bay, Rev. B. Franklyn, Missionary, and Mr. Alexan- der Lindo, Schoolmaster
Four Paths and Buxton Hill, Rev. W. Milne	Prospect Pen, Blue-Mountain- Valley, Rev. Robert Dixon, Missionary, and Mr. N. Frank- lyn, Schoolmaster
Porus, Rev. W. Alloway, Mis- sionary, and Mr. Geo. Stricker, Schoolmaster	
Mandeville, Rev. W. Slayter	

**United Brethren Missionaries.**

**IN MANCHESTER.**

Rev. H. G. Pfeiffer, Superinten-  
dant, Fairfield, Mandeville P.O.  
Rev. G. Plessing, Assistant Mis-  
sionary, ditto, ditto  
Mr. A. A. Reinke, Teacher of  
Normal School, ditto, ditto  
Mr. E. E. Reinke, Teacher of  
Day School, ditto, ditto  
Rev. James Spence, Warden of  
the Mission, Bethabara, May-  
Hill P. O.  
Rev. John Henry Bucknor, Be-  
thany, Mandeville P. O.  
Mr. Daniel Steinhauer, Assistant  
Missionary, ditto, ditto  
Rev. Gustavus Fcurig, Naza-  
reth, ditto, ditto

**IN ST. ELIZABETH.**

Rev. Francis R. Holland, Lititz,  
May Hill P. O.

Rev. George Heath, New Beth-  
lehem, Goshen P. O.  
Rev. Hans J. Kiergaard, New  
Eden, ditto  
Rev. A. Lichtenthaler, New Ful-  
neck, Black River P. O.  
Mr. Goodwin North, Assistant  
Missionary, ditto, ditto  
**IN WESTMORLAND,**  
Rev. George Robbins, New Car-  
mel, Robbins' River P. O.  
Rev. Lars Kieldson, New Hope,  
ditto ditto  
Rev. Adam Friebele, New Beau-  
fort, ditto ditto

**ST. JAMES.**

Rev. John Elliott, Irwin Hill,  
Montego-Bay  
Shortly expected, from St.  
Kitts, the Rev. Peter Ricksecker,  
formerly employed in the Mis-  
sion in this Island.

**Jamaica Missionary Presbytery.**

*Moderator*, Rev. James Watson  
*Clerk*, Rev. Warrand Carlile

**MINISTERS.**

- Rev. G. Blyth, Hampden, Trelawny, Falmouth P. O.
- James Watson, Hanover, Lucea P. O.
- H. M. Waddell, Mount Zion, Little River P. O. St. James
- John Simpson, St. Mary, Port Maria P. O.
- John Cowan, Carrow Hall, Pear Tree Grove P. O. St. Mary
- William Niven, Stirling, Grange Hill P. O. Westmorland
- Peter Anderson, Bellevue, Trelawny, Falmouth P. O.
- Wm. Jameson, Goshen, St. Ann's, Moneague P. O.
- James Niven, Friendship, Westmorland, Savanna-la-Mar P. O.
- John Aird, Mount Olivet, Manchester, Mandeville P. O.
- James Elmslie, Hanover, Green Island P. O.
- Warrand Carlile, Hanover and Lucea P. O.
- Wm. Anderson, Rose Hill, St. Mary's, Pear Tree Grove P. O.
- Andrew Hogg, Manchester, May Hill P. O.
- Andrew Maine, Manchester P. O.

**LICENTIATE.**

Hugh Goldie, Negril, Westmorland, Grange Hill P. O.

**CATECHIST AND TEACHERS.**

James Drummond, Hampden  
James Robinson, Lucea  
William Chalmers, Lucea  
Miss Eliza Johnston, Lucea  
Thomas Doues, Boggy Hill, Hanover, Lucea P. O.  
Gavin Carlile, Great Valley, Lucea P. O.  
Miss Charlotte Teap, Brownville, Lucea P. O.  
Edmond Wilson, Green Island P. O.  
Mrs. and Duncan Forbes, Stirling, Westmorland, Grange Hill P. O.  
Joseph Hanna, Broughton Place, Manchester, May Hill P. O.  
John Dawson, Mandeville P. O.  
Robert Gregory, Port Maria P. O.  
Robert Jarrett, Goshen Pen, St. Ann's, Moneague P. O.  
Miss Mary Gordon, Port Maria  
Robert Thompson, Mount Pleasant, May Hill P. O.  
Frederick Swaby, Mount Olivet, Manchester, Mandeville P. O.  
J. M'Lachlan, Golden Grove, Trelawny, Falmouth P. O.  
Charles Dryden, Victoria Town, Manchester  
George Wilson, Grove Hill, Trelawny  
William Sutherland, Lamb's River, Montego-Bay P. O.  
W. Taylor, Friendship, Sav-la-Mar P. O.  
James Dickson, Mount Zion, St. James

**MONTEGO-BAY ACADEMY.**

*Master*, George Miller

## Wesleyan Missionaries,

*In the Connexion established by the late Rev. John Wesley, A.M. as appointed at their One Hundred and Second Conference, 1845.*

## JAMAICA DISTRICT.

JONATHAN EDMONSON, *Chairman of the District, and General Superintendent of the Missions and Schools.*

*Stations, and Names of Ministers.*

Kingston, Richard Hornabrook, Henry Bleby, George Millsom, Martin Young

Montego-Bay and Mount Ward, James Walton, Henry B. Foster; Herbert Carter, Assistant Missionary

Spanish-Town, David Kerr, John Williams, Timothy W. P. Taylor

Morant-Bay, Edmund Lockyer. Yallahs and Bethesda, Richard Harding

Grateful Hill, Wm. J. Stedman

Stoney-Hill, John G. Manley

Falmouth and Duncan's, Edwd.

Fraser, Timothy Curtis

St. Ann's Bay, George Savery.

Ocho-Rios and Watsonville, Jas.

Atkins, Wm. Sinclair

Beechamville, Wm. Moss; Robt.

A. Johnson, Assistant Missionary

Bath and Manchioneal, H. B.

Britten, Edward S. Thompson;

John Vaz, Assistant Missionary

Port-Antonio, John Mearns

Lucea, Alexander Mansie  
Guy's Hill and Oracabessa, Thomas Burrows

Black-River, Edwin Blake  
Clarendon, James Rowden; Alex.

Foote, Assistant Missionary

Savanna-la-Mar, Wm. West

Brown's Town, Wm. H. Hann

Grand Cayman, Vacant for the present

Mount-Fletcher, Wm. Hodgson

Belize and Charib-Town, Honduras-Bay, James Edney; John

Green, Assistant Missionary

The following General Summary will give a view of the extent of the efforts of this highly

estimable section of the Christian Church throughout the World.

There are "277 principal stations or circuits, 385 missionaries and assistant missionaries; other paid agents, as catechists, interpreters, day school teachers, 1763; and unpaid agents, as sabbath school teachers, 4961; 101,527 full and accredited church members; 5268 on trial for membership; 65,088 day and sabbath scholars; 7 printing presses."

As regards the central or principal Station or Circuits in the Island, we give the annexed tabular view:—

TABULAR VIEW OF THE JAMAICA WESLEYAN DISTRICT.

CENTRAL OR PRINCIPAL STATIONS OR CIRCUITS.	Number of Chapels.	No. of other Preaching Places.	Missionaries and Assistant ditto	Catechists, &c.	No. of Subordinate Agents		No. of Unpaid Agents		No. of full and accredited Church Members	On trial for membership	No. of Sabbath Schools	Scholars of both Sexes	No. of Day Schools	No. of Day Scholars of both sexes	Total number of Scholars, deducting for those who attend both Sabbath and Week-Day Schools		No. of Attendants on Public Worship, including members and scholars	
					Day-School Teachers	Agents	Sabbath School Teachers	Local Preachers							Male	Female		Total
Kingston	6		5		2		67	12	5054	147	4	472	2	208	281	369	650	7370
Montego-Bay and Mount Ward	5	7	3		4		20	6	1931	60	2	162	4	340	245	177	422	2900
Spanish-Town	6	2	3		2		28	6	1842	60	3	270	2	133	140	190	330	3500
Morant-Bay	3	1	2		3			2	2001	38			2	240	152	88	240	3000
Grateful-Hill																		
Stoney-Hill	4	1	2		2		4		1165	41	1	46	2	117	21	22	46	1500
Falmouth	2	1	1		1		10	2	990	60	1	91	1	97	60	90	150	1200
St Ann's Bay																		
Beechamville	4	4	3		4			3	2041	42			4	319	188	131	319	3140
Bath and Port-Morant	5	8	3		3		2	2	2427	67	1	53	3	227	158	69	227	3500
Port-Antonio	4	2	1		2			5	1131	25			3	145	92	53	145	900
Lucca	3	1	1		2		7	1	334	30	1	83	2	417	64	63	132	700
Guy's Hill	4	1	1		1			1	599	21			1	33	12	11	23	1000
Black-River	1	1	1		1			2	209	4								500
Clarendon	4	4	2		4			4	1246	23			4	278	180	98	278	2500
Savanna-la-Mar	4	1	1		1			2	593	29			1	32	35	68	1760	
Ocho-Rios—Watsonville	4	1	2		4		21	1	1242	43	3		4	201	111	90	201	2000
Duncan's and Brown's Town	4	4	2		3		34	5	1698	36	4	338	3	104	79	80	159	3000
Grand Cayman	2	2	2		1			1	90	5								400
Mount-Fletcher	2	2	1		1		11	1	862	25			1	72	42	30	72	2000
Belize & Charibb-Town	3		2		2				207	13	2	148	2	94	69	125	194	650
Totals	69	41	36		42		204	55	25062	769	22	1958	41	3043	1929	1727	3656	41510



**Baptist Missionary Society.**

Society's House, Moorgate-street, London.

East Queen - street, Kingston,	Birmingham, Trelawny, and
Rev. S. Oughton	Dry Harbour, St. Ann's, Rev.
Hanover-street, ditto, Rev. J. H.	B. B. Dexter
Wood	Falmouth, Refuge, Trelawny.*
Port-Royal, Rev. G. Rouse	Waldensia, Jubilee, Trelawny,
Yallahs, St. David, Rev. T. Hands	Rev. J. Henderson
Annotto Bay, Metcalfe, and Buff	Montego Bay, St. James, Rev.
Bay, St. George, Rev. W.	P. H. Cornford
Lloyd	Mount Carey, Shortwood, St.
Spanish - Town, Passage - Fort-	James, and Bethel Town, West-
and Sligo-Ville, Rev. J. M.	morland, Rev. T. Burchell
Phillippo, and Rev. T. Dow-	Salter's Hill, Malden, St. James,
son	Rev. W. Dendy
Vale Lionel, Mandeville, Man-	Beththephil, St. James, Rev. R.
chester, and Four Paths, Cla-	Priclon
rendon,*	Bethalsem, Middle Quarter, St.
Jerico, Mount Hermon, St. Tho-	Elizabeth, Rev. J. Gay
mas in the Vale, Rev. P. Hew-	Savanna-la-Mar, Westmorland,
ett	Rev. J. Hutchins
Springfield, St. John, and Smyr-	Fuller's Field, Westmorland, Rev.
no, St. Ann,*	W. Hume
Mount Nebo, St. Ann, and Guy's	Lucea, Green Island, Mount
Hill, St. Thomas in the Vale,	Moriah, Hanover, Rev. J. May
Rev. C. Armstrong	Gurney's Mount, Fletcher's
Port-Maria, Oracabessa, Mount-	Grove, Hanover, Rev. E. Wool-
Angus, St. Mary, Rev. T. Day	ley
St. Ann's Bay, Coultart Grove,	Old-Harbour, St. Dorothy, Rev.
St. Ann's, Rev. T. F. Abbott	H. C. Taylor
Ocho-Rios, St. Ann's, Stracey-	Rio Bueno, Trelawny, Rev. J.
Ville, Clarendon, Rev. B.	Tinson
Millard	Belle Castle, St. Thomas in the
Brown's Town, Sturge-Town, St.	East, Rev. D. Jones
Ann's, Rev. J. Clarke	Stoney Hill, Clarendon, Rev. J.
Bethany, Clarkson - Ville, St.	Gould
Ann's, Rev. H. J. Dutton	Mount Hermon, St. Thomas in
Rio Bueno, Stewart Town, New	the Vale, Rev. J. Hume

**Jamaica Mutual Life Assurance Company.**

Empowered by Island Act 8 Vic. c. 10.

*Patron*, His Excellency the Governor

*Vice Patrons*, The President of the Council, the Chief-Justice, the Lord Bishop, the Vice-Chancellor, the Speaker of the House of Assembly

*Honorary Directors*, The Hon. Thomas M'Neel, Alex. Geddes, esq. the Hon. Edward Thompson, the Rev. Dr. Stewart

*Directors*, Alexander Barclay, esq. (*Chairman*), J. V. Purrier, esq. (*Vice Chairman*), J. S. Brown, esq. J. Davidson, esq. N. R. Darrel, esq. Henry Franklin, esq. Edward Jordon, esq. Henry J. Kemble, esq. Edward Charles Mowat, esq.

*Trustees*, W. W. Anderson, esq. George W. Gordon, esq. Andrew Scott, esq.

*Medical Officers*, Dr. Macfadyen, Dr. Charles Campbell

*Auditors*, W. M. Anderson, T.

Rodgers, and James Campbell, esqrs.

*Solicitors*, Messrs. Mowat & Bland  
*Bankers*, The Colonial Bank

MONTEGO-BAY BRANCH.

*Manager*, Joseph Fray, esq.  
*Medical Officer*, Dr. Chambers

FALMOUTH BRANCH.

*Managers*, Messrs. P. Abrahams & Co.

*Medical Officers*, Drs. Anderson and Willis

SAVANNA-LA-MAR.

*Manager*, Edw. Walcott, esq.

*Medical Officer*,\*

Application (if by letter post paid) to be made to the Secretary, Kingston; to Joseph Fray, esq. Montego-Bay; or to Messrs. P. Abrahams & Co. Falmouth, for copies of the Prospectus, form of proposal for an Assurance, &c. and for information as to the plan and objects of the Society.

T. BLAND, Sec.

**Metcalf Kingston Dispensary.**

*Patron*, His Excellency the Governor

*Governors*, Lord Metcalfe, the Hon. and Right Rev. Aubrey George Spencer, D.D. Lord Bishop of Jamaica, the Venerable Edward Pope, D.D.

*Chairman*, N. A. Darrell, esq.

*Vice-Chairman*, John Nethers ole, esq.

*Treasurer*, Henry Hutchings, esq.

*Committee of Management*, Rev. T. B. Turner, Rev. J. Magrath, L.L.D., Rev. W. Ma-

hew, Rev. Samuel Oughton, Dr. James Macfadyen, Dr. H. L. Porter, Dr. Charles Campbell, Dr. John Ferguson, Hon. Mayo' Short, John Hoyes, John S. Brown, John Edwards, Nathan Joseph, Saml. Hendrick, John Wilson, R. J. C. Hutchings, Barth. I. Williams, Henry Hutchings, Wm. Parke, John Duff, E. B. Thomas, Edward Lucas, James Porteous, Philip Lawrence, esqrs.

*Dispenser*, Dr. Alex. Fiddes

## RAILWAYS.

## FROM KINGSTON TO SPANISH-TOWN.

Incorporated by cap. 25 of 7 Vic. 1843.

*Directors*, J. C. Ewart, esq. (*Chairman*), Jos. Hornby, esq. (*Vice-Chairman*), J. Denison, esq. M.P., Wm. Smith, esq. Henry

C. Lacy, esq. Thos. Smith, esq. J. P. Kennard, esq. J. P. Haywood, esq. Dr. Reynolds, Theodore Rathbone, esq.

*Resident Director in Jamaica*, David Smith, esq.

*Engineer*, G. M. Miller, esq.

## F A R E S.

	To Gregory Park.			Spanish-Town.			Grange Lane.		
	Class.			Class.			Class.		
	1st	2d	3d.	1st	2d	3d	1st	2d	3d
From Kingston	2s. 6d.	1s. 6d.	9d.	4s. 0d.	2s. 0d.	1s. 4s. 0d.	2s. 6d.	1s.	
Gregory Park	2s. 6d.	1s. 6d.	9d.	2s. 6d.	1s. 6d.	9d.	1s. 6d.	1s. 0d.	6d.
Grange Lane	4s. 0d.	2s. 6d.	1s.	1s. 6d.	1s. 0d.	6d.			

## TIMES OF STARTING.

*Week Days.**Sundays.*

From Kingston—6 & 9 a.m.—12 noon, and 4 p.m.

8 a.m. & 4 p.m.

From Spanish-Town—7 & 10 a.m., 1 & 5 p.m.

9 a.m. & 5 p.m.

[ This Railway was opened on the 21st November, 1845, in the presence of His Excellency the Earl of Elgin and Kincardine, Governor; Major General S. H. Berkeley, Lieut.-Governor; the Members of the Council and House of Assembly, and the Heads of Departments; and an immense concourse of the inhabitants of Kingston.]

## SOUTH MIDLAND JUNCTION

*Committee*, Right Hon. the Earl of Harewood, Major Hawkes, J. C. Ewart, Theodore Rathbone, Wm. Smith, Henry C. Lacy, John Rees, Chas. Fred. Hardmeim, esqrs.

*Bankers*, Sir J. Lubbock, bart.; Messrs. Denison, Heywood, Kennard, & Co. London

*Engineer*, George Miller, esq.

*Surveyor*, Edw. M'Geachy, esq.

*Solicitors*, Messrs. Vidal, Allwood, and Vidal, Jamaica; Charles Wright, esq. London

*Secretary pro. tem.* Chas. Wright, esq.

## THE KINGSTON AND NORTH MIDLAND.

*Committee*, The Earl of Harewood, Sir Duncan M'Dougal, Wm. Collins, esq. M.P., D. R. Ross, esq. M.P., Major Hawkes, Charles F. Hardmeim, esq. and John Rees, esq.

*Secretary*,\*

*Bankers*, Sir J. Lubbock, bart. and Messrs. Foster & Co.

## COMPANIES.

## FALMOUTH WATER COMPANY,

TRELAWNY.

40 Geo. 3, c. 29 &amp; 49 Geo. 3, c. 26.

*President*, Thomas Whiteside*Directors*, Richard Wilson, P.

Abrahams, F. L. Castle, Chas.

E. Fry, Archibald Scott, Wm.

Sewell, Wm. Dexter, M. Cole,

Wm. Hamilton, J. R. Kitchen,

P. Duff, esqrs.

*Treasurer*, F. L. Castle, esq.*Secretary and Collector*, Mr. B. Harris*Engineer*, Louis Ferguson, esq.*Printers*, Mrs. Dyer and J. Castello, esq.

## CLOSE-HARBOUR COMPANY,

MONTEGO-BAY.

35 Geo. 3, c. 34 ; 40 Geo. 3, c. 22 ;

and 43 Geo. 3, c. 33.

*Directors*, John Manderson (*Pre-**sident*), Barnet Isaacs, Richard

Rowe, Geo. C. Rickets, James

Gray, Geo. Cragg, Thos. Wat-

son, Wm. Boyd, Geo. Gordon,

Jas. Fowler, Richard Dewar,

Robt. Nunes, C. W. Masters,

esqrs.

*Treasurer*, Joseph J. Jump, esq.*Secretary*, John Shaw, esq.*Solicitor*, James Grey, esq.*Water Bailiff and Keeper of Marine List*, Lawrence Hill, esq.

## SLIGO WATER COMPANY,

ST. CATHERINE.

5 Wm. 4, c. 38, and 1 Vic. c. 9.

*Directors*, Robert Russell (*Presi-**dent*), J. Leaycraft, W. D. Tur-

ner, B. I. Williams, Jas. Der-

byshire, W. T. Norton, A.

Asher, Robert Page, A. H.

Lewis, J. B. Hylton, J. J. San-

guinetti, J. V. Leach, W. J.

Salmon, esqrs.

*Treasurer*, Jas. Derbyshire, esq.*Secretary*, Mr. Isaac Feurtado*Solicitors*, Messrs. Vidal, Allwood,

&amp; Vidal

*Auditors*, W. Lee, J. M. Facey, esqrs.

## KINGSTON AND LIGUANEA WATER WORKS COMPANY.

7 Vic. c. 66.

## DIRECTORS.

*Chairman*, Wm. Wright, esq.*Vice-Chairman*, L. Gibson, esq.*Directors*, J. S. Brown, James

Derbyshire, G. W. Gordon, A.

Simpson, T. Dasilva, esqrs.

*Treasurer*, Hyman Levy, esq.*Clerk*, F. Bland, esq.*Contractor for the Works*, R. Hancock, esq.

## MOUNT VERNON MINING COMPANY.

*President*,\**Vice-President*, Hon. Sam. Jackson Dallas*Directors*, Andrew G. Johnson,

Samuel Murphy, Chas. Dewd-

ney, John Harvey, John Bur-

ger, Edward C. Lewis, John

Nunes, Edward Jordon, Chas.

Lake, Henry Hutchings, esqrs.

*Managing Director*, J. Drew, esq.*Hon. Secretary*, E. C. Lewis, esq.*Bankers*, Colonial Bank

## JAMAICA SILK COMPANY.

ST. ANN'S.

5 Vic. c. 29.

*Trustees*, Hon. Joseph Gordon,  
John Gale Vidal, Chas. Mack-  
glashan, esqrs.

*Chairman*, Hon. Edw. J. Panton  
*Dep. ditto*, B. S. Moncrieffe, esq.

*Auditors*, Geo. Barnett, Jas. All-  
wood, esqrs.

*Directors*, Hon. Edw. J. Panton,  
Hon. Joseph Gordon, B. S.  
Moncrieffe, John W. Davis,  
John Gale Vidal, Chas. Mack-  
glashan, Chas. Stewart, Thos.  
L. Bayley, esqrs.

*Register*, Benjamin Walker, esq.  
*Solicitors*, Messrs. Barnett, M<sup>c</sup>Neil,  
and Minot.

## Health Officers.

*St. Dorothy*, Dr. A. Lawson, at  
Salt-River and Dry-Harbour  
*St. Mary*, Dr. G. M<sup>c</sup>Nabb and  
Dr. Alex. Cook, at Port-Maria  
and Oracabessa

*St. Ann*, Dr. Thos. L. Bayley, at  
St. Ann's Bay; Dr James H.  
Archer, at Ocho-Rios

*Kingston*, Dr. Rich. Chamberlaine  
*St. Thos. the East*, Dr. Brown, at  
Morant-Bay; Dr. W. H. Cook,  
at Port-Morant

*Portland*, Dr. James Orgill, at  
Port-Antonio

*St. George*,\*

*Metcalfe*, Dr. James Maxwell, at  
Annotto-Bay

*St. Elizabeth*, Dr. A. W. Mait-  
land, Black-River

*Hanover*, Dr. J. D. Potts, sen. at  
Lucea; Dr. John Grant, at  
Green-Island

*Westmorland*, Dr. Rich. H. Henry,  
at Sav.-la-Mar

*Trelawny*, Dr. Patrick Anderson,  
at Falmouth

*St. James*, Drs. W. Gordon and  
Chambers, at Montego-Bay.

## Surveyors.

34 Geo. III, c. 22.

Robert Baugh  
George Cunningham  
James Robert Disney  
Henry Hayes  
Edward M<sup>c</sup>Geachy  
George G. Pottinger  
John M. Smith  
Henry Stephens  
Richard Wilson  
Robert M. Wilson  
James Wood  
William C. Morris, jun.  
Henry Forbes  
John Thom  
John H. Ridley  
James L. Windett  
Edward David Baugh  
William Thomas Hodgson  
Melbourne J. Griffiths  
John Moore Davis, esqrs.

## Harbourmasters.

*St. Dorothy*, Dr. A. Lawson, at  
Salt-River and Dry-Harbour  
*Vere*, Robert G. Hume, esq. (de-  
puty, Mr. James M. Gibb), at  
Salt-River

*St. Mary*, Robert Clemetson, esq.  
at Port-Maria, Oracabessa, and  
Rio-Nuevo

*St. Ann*, Seba Shelly, esq. at St.  
Ann's Bay; Dominick Plunk-  
ett, esq. at Ocho-Rios; J.  
Knox, esq. at Dry-Harbour

*Kingston and Port-Royal*, Thos.  
Smith, esq. (Gilbert Robert-  
son, esq. acting)

*St. Thos. the East*, Robt. Quelch,  
esq. at Morant-Bay, Port-Mo-  
rant, and Manchioneal

*Portland*, Ambrose Codrington,  
esq. at Port-Antonio

*St. George*,\*

*Metcalfe*, F. C. Stanford, esq. at  
Annotto-Bay

*St. Elizabeth*, James T. Nivens, esq. at Black-River  
*Hanover*, Joshua Hayward, esq. Lucea and Green Island  
*Westmorland*, Edward Barker, esq. at Sav.-la-Mar  
*Trelawny*, Wm. Wilkins, esq. at Falmouth  
*St. James*, Alex. Holmes, esq. at Montego-Bay

### Pilots.

*Kingston, Port-Royal, and Old-Harbour*, Messrs. Abraham Depass, James Baker, Wm. Henry Dillon, Samuel Barton, John J. M'Cartney, John Hunt, Robert Yeo, John Goldson, Joseph Jennings, Geo. Bogle, Henry Jackson, C. J. Jackson, and James Forbes

*St. Thomas in the East*, Messrs. Thomas James Goldson, David Gibb, W. H. Dillon, and John Stephen, (for Morant-Bay and Port-Morant); Thomas Bunting, Wm. Parry, and Ambrose Codrington (for Manchioneal)  
*Portland*, Messrs. Robert Shepherd, Thomas Bunting, John Bunting, Ambrose Codrington, Joseph Hardevaigne, and Samuel Shepherd, (at Port-Antonio)

*St. George*,\*

*Metcalf*, Messrs. Wm. Murdock, F. C. Stanford, and John Dewsbury, (at Annotto-Bay)

*Vere*, Messrs. Joseph Jennings and J. M. M'Cartney

*St. Mary*, Messrs. Robt. Clemetson, Bartholomew Parodie, Richard Clemetson, and D. M'Pherson, (at Port-Maria)

*St. Ann*, Mr. John Sterling, (at St. Ann's Bay)

*St. Elizabeth*, Messrs. Robt. Campbell, Thos. W. Tavares, Isaac

Townshend, Joseph L. Bennett, John B. M'Cartney, (at Black-River)

*Westmorland*, Messrs. Thomas W. Tavares, James Blakeney, R. Campbell, Isaac Townshend, and Wm. Taylor, (at Savanna-la-Mar)

*Trelawny*, Messrs. W. Wilkings, James Wallace, J. Hughes, Geo. Miller, and Benjamin L. Grant, (at Falmouth)

*St. James*, Messrs. Wm. Clare, Richard Trott, James Wallace, and John Brown, (at Montego-Bay)

### Turnpikes.

#### BETWEEN KINGSTON AND SPANISH-TOWN.

*Trustees*, The president of the council, the chief-justice, the speaker of the assembly, the custos of St. Catherine, the mayor of Kingston, and the members of assembly for St. Catherine, Port-Royal, St. Dorothy, St. John, St. Andrew, and Kingston

*Board of Superintending Commissioners*, Samuel B. Hylton, esq. (*Chairman*), Hon. Wm. Ramsay, R. J. C. Hitchins, R. Russell, and William Thomas March, esqrs.

*Road Overseer*,\*

*Treasurer*, Edward T. Guy, esq. Clerk, W. N. Greensword

*Tollkeepers*, Gate No. 1, Mr. G. H. Fletcher; No. 2, Mrs. Mary Fair; No. 3, Mr. John Gonville.

#### BETWEEN SPANISH-TOWN AND OLD-HARBOUR.

*Treasurer*, John Gale Vidal

*Clerk*, Mr. A. Sinclair

*Tollkeeper*, Mr. Geo. Wilkie

**STONY-HILL, ST. ANDREW.**

*Trustees*, Hon. Joseph Gordon,  
C. M. Jopp, Robert Osborn,  
Edward Jordon, Wm. Robert-  
son, James Cockburn, Jasper  
F. Cargill, James Porteous,  
James Carson, John Gordon,  
Alexandor Gray, George P. M.  
Downer, James Taylor, Hin-  
ton Spalding, James Lawrence,  
William Mathew Dunn, Thel-  
lamont Dasilva, William Hunt,  
Samuel Mendes, Edward T.  
Guy, George Scotland, John  
R. Brice, esqrs.

*Solicitors*, Messrs. Barnett, McNeil,  
and Minot

*Road Overseer*, C. J. Maddix, esq.

*Secretary*, James Scott, esq.

*Tollkeeper*, Mr. ——— Lopez.

**MAMMEE BRIDGE.**

*Trustees*, The members of assem-  
bly for the parishes of St. An-  
drew, St. George, and Port-  
Royal, with the hon. John  
Mais, Hinton East, Jas. Wiles,  
Wm G. Lowe, John Gordon,  
John Huxtable, Chas. Hicks,  
Francis Elliott, Andrew Simp-  
son, Robert Chisholm, Edward  
Jordon, C. J. Maddix, esqrs.

*Solicitor*, John Duff, esq.

*Clerk*, John Weppeler, esq.

*Tollkeeper*, Mr. A. McKenzie

**Hospitals.**

**GENERAL PUBLIC HOSPITAL  
AND LUNATIC ASYLUM.**

KINGSTON.

(See 8 Vic. c. 29.)

*Commissioners*, His Honour the  
Speaker of the Assembly, the  
Hon. the Attorney-General,  
(*Chairman*), the Hon. W. D.  
Turner, the Members of Assem-  
bly for Kingston, with G. W.  
Gordon, James Townson, Hen-

K

ry Hutchings, N. R. Darrell,  
and James Porteous. esqrs.

*Surgeon*, Joseph Magrath, M.D.  
*Dispenser of Medicine*, Dr. J. Scott  
*Purveyor*, Mr. James Hollowood

**MANNING'S TOWN MARINE  
HOSPITAL AND POOR  
HOUSE.**

Established under 1 Geo. 4, c. 16,  
for the reception of sick seamen  
or other persons, sent in by any  
justice or vestryman. It is sup-  
ported by a duty on tonnage.

*Receiver*, James Ray, esq.

*Surgeon*, Dr. G. McNab

*Matron*, Mrs. M. Rogers

*Matron to the Poor House*, Mrs.  
Margery King

**FALMOUTH MARINE HOS-  
PITAL,**

TRELAWNY.

*Commissioners*, The magistrates  
and vestrymen of the parish of  
Trelawny, or any five of them

*Collector*, Archibald Scott, esq.

*Surgeon*, Dr. Patrick Anderson

*Matron*, Mrs. Dawkins

**GENERAL AND MARINE  
HOSPITAL,**

ST. JAMES.

*Surgeons*, Dr. Geo. M<sup>c</sup>F. Lawson,  
jun. and Patrick Spence

*Treasurer*, Thomas Watson, esq.

*Matron*, Mrs. Elizabeth James

**GENERAL PENITENTIARY,  
KINGSTON.**

(8 Vic. c. --.)

*Commissioners*, Hon. James Gay-  
leard, president of the council,  
hon. sir Joshua Rowe, bart.  
chief-justice, hon. Saml. Jack-  
son Dallas, speaker of the as-  
sembly, Alex. Barclay, Hugh  
Fraser Leslie, Edward Jordon,  
and John Daughtrey, inspec-  
tor of prisons, esqrs.

## FREE-SCHOOLS.

## BECKFORD'S FREE SCHOOL.

ST. CATHERINE.

Established in 1774, by a bequest from Peter Beckford, esq.

*Governors*, The Governor or Lieutenant Governor, Council, Assembly, Chief Justice, Assistant Judges of the Supreme Court, and Rector of the Parish for the time being  
*Treasurer*, Wm. T. March, esq.  
*Master*, Mr. Thomas Slyth

## VERE FREE SCHOOL.

*Governors and Trustees*, The President of the Council for the time being, the Speaker of the Assembly, the Chief Justice, and Attorney General, the Custos, Members of Assembly, and Rector of Manchester, and the Custos, Members of Assembly, and Rector of Clarendon

*Board of Local Trustees*, Messrs. Garrigues, Ewart, Ronaldson, Anderson, Matthie. Dr. Trutch, and the Island Curate of Vere  
*Treasurer*, Hon. Alexandre Bravo  
*Master*, Rev. Mr. Thompson  
*Clerk*, Mr. W. D. Bourke  
*Medical Attendant*, Dr. G.R. Bruce

## REFUGE SCHOOL.

MANCHESTER.

'This school was established in the year 1823, by a society of benevolent ladies, in the parishes of St. Elizabeth and Manchester, "with a view of relieving the miseries of those unfortunate beings of their own sex, who, destitute of the means of support, too frequently fall victims to the temptations of vice." It is sup-

ported by annual subscriptions of £1 old currency, and by donations.

## JAMAICA FREE SCHOOL.

WALTON PEN, ST. ANN'S

*Trustees and Governors*, The Governor, the President and Members of the Council, the Speaker and Members of the Assembly, the Chief Justice and Attorney General, with twelve others

*Treasurer*,\*

*Head Master and Clerk*, Rev. W. Cooke, A.M.

*Medical Attendant*, Dr. M'Donald

## WOLMER'S FREE SCHOOL.

KINGSTON.

*Treasurer*, R. Withworth, esq.  
*Head Master*, Mr. Ebenezer Reid  
*Usher*, Mr. Peter Gallagher  
*Teacher of the French and Spanish Languages*, Mr. Andrew Judah  
*Tutress to Infant School*, Miss Margaret Reid  
*Teacher to Female Pupils*, Miss A. Leceane

## TITCHFIELD FREESCHOOL.

PORTLAND.

*Directors*, The Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or Commander in Chief for the time being, four senior Members of the Council, Speaker of the Assembly, Custos. Representative in Assembly, four Senior Magistrates, Rector, Churchwardens, Vestrymen, with the following inhabitants:—Thos. Tollemache, esq. Dr. James C. Orgill, Rev. T. T. T. Orgill,



## Free-Schools—Normal Seminary—Charities. 111

Henry J. A. Lawrence, and  
Robert Mein, esqrs.  
*Treasurer*, Thos. M. Morine, esq.  
*Master and Secretary*,\*

### RUSEA'S FREE SCHOOL.

HANOVER.

*Trustees*, The Custos, Representatives in Assembly, three Senior Magistrates, the Rector, Churchwardens, and six Freeholders, chosen annually on the third Tuesday in February  
*Master*, Rev. John Stainsby, jun.  
*Second Master*, Mr. James Davies Dawes

*Teacher of Needle Work*, Mrs. Eliza Heming

### MANNING'S FREE SCHOOL.

WESTMORLAND.

*Trustees*, The Custos, Representatives, the three Senior Magistrates, the Rector, and Rev.

T. Stewart, Rev. William Williams, Alex Fraser, W. Walcott, Edward Barker, esqrs.  
*Master*, Rev. Daniel Fidler  
*Treasurer*,\*

### ST. JAMES' FREE SCHOOL.

ST. JAMES.

The Trustees declared a body corporate, with full powers under 46 Geo III. cap. 27.

*Trustees*, The President of the Council, the Speaker of the Assembly, the Custos of the Parish, the Representatives in the Assembly, the three senior Magistrates, the Rector, and Churchwardens, with John Manderson, R. W. Buchanan, and J. G. Jump, esqrs.

*Master*, Mr. J. E. Armiraux  
*Usher*, Mr. John Thompson  
*Mistress*, Mrs. Armiraux  
*Treasurer*, Samuel H. Solomon

### JAMAICA NORMAL SEMINARY,

For aiding Missionary and Educational Societies in training Teachers, under the immediate direction of the Normal Superintendent, Mr. George Henderson.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Number entered from commencement in 1836	121	57	178
Number appointed to charge of schools	85	39	124
Number dismissed as unsuitable	24	10	34
<b>MODEL SCHOOLS.</b>			
Juvenile boys' school, Mr. William Boyd	68	59	127
Infant school, Mr. Robert Henderson	86	53	139

### FLETCHER'S CHARITY.

ST. CATHERINE.

For the support of poor Widows.  
There are three at £53 13s. 4d. old currency per annum.  
*Trustees*, The Churchwardens

### DR. GREGORY'S CHARITY.

ST. CATHERINE.

Established in 1792, for portioning

poor maidens, and relieving distressed strangers.

*Trustees*, The Chief Justice, the Custos, and Rector for the time being

### SMITH'S CHARITY.

ST. CATHERINE.

To establish a school on the principles of the Church of England, capital £3000 old currency

**Holidays at Public Offices.**

*Island Secretary's Office, Registrar in Chancery, Provost Marshal General's Office, Clerk of the Supreme Court, New Year's Day and the day following, Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, Easter Monday and Tuesday, Christmas Day and two days after, the seventh day of June, and twenty-eighth day of August.*

*Receiver General's Office, Stamp Office, and all other Public Offices in Kingston, New Year's Day, Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, Easter Monday, Christmas Day and the day following, seventh day of June, and twenty-eighth day of August.*

**Baths.**

**MILK-RIVER.**

*Trustees, The Members of the Council and the Assembly for the time being, and the Custos and Justices of the Peace for the parish*

*Physician, Dr. A. Murchison  
Clerk, Mr. W. D. Bourke  
Matron, Mrs. Booth*

**ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE.**

*Directors, Governor or Commander in Chief, Members of the Council and the Assembly, Chief-Justice, and Justices of the Peace for the precinct*

*Chaplain, Rev. T. H. Cooke  
Physician, Dr. Wm. Henderson  
Surgeon,\**

*Botanist and Curator, Rev. T. Wharton*

*Cerk, Mr. J. M. Ken*

**Lumber Measurers.**

(See 13 Geo. III. cap. 12.)

*St. Mary, Messrs. J. W. Gray, James Meacock, and Stephen Guthrey*

*St. Ann, Messrs. Thomas Lugg, James Wilson, and William B. Harris*

*Kingston, Messrs. Julius Merchand, Alex. Scholar, John T. Hunt, Christopher J. Maddix, R. Urquhart, C. G. Budgen, John Grant, James Dalhousie, Joel Andrews, John Delvalle, J. Baynes, Ben. Burns, James B. Smith, James M. Dasilva, George Aguilar, Alex. Innes, R. Smyth, Isaac Lyon, and Charles R. Llado, W. A. Hunt, and D. T. Kelly*

*St. Thomas in the East, J. Macpherson, D. Leith, James Dufus, and Wm. Patterson*

*Portland, Messrs. John R. Naylor, Henry Burge, Richard Hunter, H. J. A. Lawrence, J. P. Usher, and J. R. Bennett*

*St. George, Messrs. Frederick C. Stanford, George R. M-Lean, G. A. Shaw, and Mark Plues*

*Hanover, Messrs. William Clare, John Dinham, George Beddie, Joshua Hayward, A. Malcolm, James K. Binns, John Dickson, W. Clarke, James Casely, and John B. Dudley*

*St. James, Messrs. John Gardner, T. Smith, Samuel Manderson, Martin Waite, Isaac Pulles, John Kerr, Robt. Kerr, Israel L. Lewin, Lawrence Hill, Alex. Lindo, Joseph Levy, Alexander Vernon, Samuel Kerr, sen, Robert Burns, Thos. F. Clarke, and James C. James*

*Trelawny, Messrs. Thomas Langley, Alex. Delisser, R. W. G. Scott*

## MASONIC LODGES,

## CONGREGATING IN THE ISLAND OF JAMAICA.

## IN KINGSTON.

## ROYAL LODGE, No. 250.

Pro. No. 1.

Constituted in 1794.

Meets the first Monday in each month.

*Master*, Wor. John Burger*Senior Warden*, Bro. James Scott*Junior Warden*, Bro. Robt. Agui-  
lar*Treasurer*, Bro. John Escoffery*Secretary*, Bro. Robert Linton*Senior Deacon*, Bro. Aaron Salom*Junior Deacon*, Bro. Robt. Osborn*Inner Guard*, Bro. Robt. Jordon*Stewards*, Bro. Alex. Malliett and

Bro. W. Blakeley

*Tyler*, Bro. Joseph Chaves*Worshipful Past-Masters*, Gasper

Joui, Isaac Iffia. John Nunes,

P. J. Ferron, esqrs.

ROYAL LODGE HOLY ROY-  
AL ARCH CHAPTER.Meets the third Wednesday in Fe-  
bruary, May, August, and No-  
vember.*First Principal Z*, Wor. John  
Nunes*Second Principal H*, Wor. Gas-  
pard Joui*Third Principal J*, Bro. John Es-  
coffery*Captain of the Host*, Bro. James  
M'Dowell*Principal Sojourner*, Wor. John  
Burger*Royal Arch Captain*, Bro. James  
Scott*Captain of the First Veil*, Bro.  
John D. Logan*Ditto ditto Second ditto*, Bro. Edwd.  
Rieusette*Ditto ditto Third ditto*, Bro. Aaron  
Salom*Treasurer*, Bro. Alex. John Smith*Scribe*, Wor. Peter John Ferron*Janitor*, Bro. Joseph Chaves

## FRIENDLY LODGE, No. 291.

Pro. No. 2.

Meets the second Monday in each  
month.*Master*, Wor. David N. Martin,  
esq.*Senior Warden*, Bro. Lewis Ash-  
enheim, M.D.*Junior Warden*, Bro. Sol. Melhado*Treasurer*, Bro. D. R. Dacosta*Secretary*, Bro. Lewis Aria*Senior Deacon*, Bro. Jos. Mendes*Junior Deacon*, Bro. Joseph Stines*Inner Guard*, Bro. Jos. Aarons*Tyler*, Bro. Joseph Chaves*Worshipful Past-Masters*, Louis

Lewis, Samuel Jacobs. Jacob

N. Vaz, Robert J. Salmon, Da-

vid Martin, Rev. M. N. Nathan,

S. Schloss, Thomas S. Cushnie,

esqrs.

## SUSSEX LODGE, No. 447.

Pro. No. 3.

Meets the third Monday in each  
month.*Master*, Wor. John Trimmer, P.M.*Senior Warden*, Bro. Robert Ur-  
quhart

*Junior Warden*, Bro. Thomas Breakspear  
*Treasurer*, Wor. Jas. K. Fingzies, P.M.  
*Secretary*, Bro. Thomas Wilson  
*Senior Deacon*, Bro. Henry Michel  
*Junior Deacon*, Bro. Jas. O. Fraser  
*Inner Guard*, Bro. H. G. Bunell  
*Tyler*, M. J. Quinan  
*Worshipful Past-Masters*, Barnaby Madden, James Paul, M.D., Isaac Jones, John Leake, Henry Hutchings, J. K. Fingzies, John Trimmer, Henry Franklin, Jas. Macfadyen, M.D., John Denniston, James Derbyshire, I. N. Vaz, J. M. Pennington, M. J. Quinan, esqrs.

#### SUSSEX HOLY ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER, No. 447.

*Principal Z*, Wor. Daniel Jacobs  
*Principal H*, Wor. Jacob N. Vaz  
*Principal J*, *pro tem.* Wor. John Nunes  
*Captain of the Host*, Wor. Thos. S. Cushnie  
*Principal Sojourner*, Wor. David Martin  
*Royal Arch Captain*, Bro. David J. Alberga  
*Captain of the First Veil*, Wor. Joseph Alexander  
*Ditto Second ditto*, Bro. David R. Da Costa  
*Ditto Third ditto*, Bro. Michael H. Samuels  
*Treasurer*, Bro. I. G. Swainson  
*Scribe*, E. Wm. G. Nunes  
*Janitor*, Bro. Joseph Chaves

#### UNION AND CONCORDIA LODGE.

*Worshipful Master*, Juan Jose Nieto  
*Senior Warden*, Jose Ariano  
*Junior Warden*, Jose Maria Figueroa

*Secretary pro tem.* Antonio Valencia  
*Treasurer*, Jacob Stines  
*Senior Deacon pro tem.* Alexander Abrahams  
*Junior Deacon*, Jose Elias Gonzales  
*Master of Ceremonies*, Jose Angel Figueroa  
*Orator*, Emanuel Leon  
*Inner Guard pro tem.* Jose Brockman  
*Tyler*, Jose Chaves  
*Members*, Jose Maria Bruyes Escula, Jacob Henriques, George Israel, Alex. Grant, E. Relain, J. B. Taylor, C. Hill, Simon Hart, R. Ellis, Fernando Menguale, J. Arragon, Daniel Pinedo

#### GLENLYON LODGE.

*Pro. No. 2.*

Under the Constitution of the Grand Lodge of Scotland.  
 This Lodge is working under the Warrant from the Grand Lodge of Scotland.

*Master*, Wor. Wm. James Rutherford  
*Senior Warden*, Bro. Alfred E. Robbins  
*Junior Warden*, Bro. A. A. Chevalloué  
*Senior Deacon*, Bro. Dr. Fishbourn  
*Junior Deacon*, Dr. Wm. Arnold  
*Treasurer*, Wor. P. J. Ferron  
*Secretary*, Bro. J. A. Cator  
*Inner Guard*, Bro. Henry Michel  
*Tyler*, Wor. Isaac Iffla

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#### ELGIN LODGE.

Installed in 1845.

*Master*, Wor. Bro. John Ewart  
*Senior Warden*, Bro. Geo. Abrahams

*Junior Warden*, Bro. E. M'Caw  
*Senior Deacon*, Bro. J. M'Phail  
*Junior Deacon pro tem.* Bro. —  
 M'Nab

*Secretary*, Bro. P. Blackburn  
*Treasurer*, Bro. George Rose  
*Tyler*, Bro. Thomas Edbury

IN MONTEGO-BAY.

FRIENDLY LODGE, No. 539,  
 Pro. No. 7.

Meets every Monday nearest the  
 Moon.

*Master*, Wor. George Delisser  
*Sen. Warden*, Wor. W. A. Nunes  
*Jun. Warden*, Wor. Robt. Nunes  
*Treasurer*, Bro. Daniel Isaacs  
*Secretary*, Wor. J. T. Archer  
*Sen. Deacon*, Bro. Danl. Melhado  
*Jun. Deacon*, Bro. Sam. Solomon  
*Inner Guard*, Bro. W. J. Jennings  
*Tyler*, Bro. Joseph Lewis  
*Worshipful Past-Masters*, Barnet  
 Isaacs, Daniel Levy, Cecil L.  
 Isaacs, George L. Phillips,

Asher Solomon, A. J. H. Ber-  
 nal, S. G. Corinaldi, Horatio  
 Corinaldi, esqrs.

FRIENDLY HOLY ROYAL  
 ARCH CHAPTER.

Meets the second Thursday in  
 March, June, September, and  
 December.

*Z, or First Principal*, Cecil L.  
 Isaacs

*H, or Second ditto*, John E. Cham-  
 bers

*I, or Third ditto*, Isaac Isaacs  
*Captain of the Host*, Geo. L. Phil-  
 lips

*Principal Sojourner*, A. J. H. Ber-  
 nal

*Royal Arch Captain*, M. A. Nunes

*Master First Veil*, Daniel Isaacs

*Ditto Second ditto*, Sam. Magnus

*Ditto Third ditto*, H. A. Alberga

*Treasurer*, Robert Nunes

*Scribe*, Charles N. Phillips

*Janitor*, Joseph Lewis

## A R M Y.

Officers marked (a) are absent from the Island, and those marked (s) are on the Staff.

*Commander of the Troops in Jamaica and its Dependencies,*  
**MAJOR-GENERAL SACKVILLE HAMILTON BERKELEY.**

*Aide-de-Camp,* Capt. P. C. Cavan, 30th Regt.

*Assistant Military Secretary,* Capt. A. Carden, 60th Regt.

*Deputy Adjutant-General,* Lieut. Col. P. Farquharson, H. P.

*Deputy Quartermaster-General,* Lieut. Col. S. R. Warren, H. P.

*Actg. Dep. Judge Advocate,* Capt. G. S. Tidy, 48th Regt.

*Commanding Officer of Artillery,* Lieut. Col. Lloyd Dowse, R. A.

*Commanding Royal Engineer,* Major C. Grierson, R. E.

\* The respective Officers of the Ordnance are the Commanding Officer of Artillery, Commanding the Royal Engineer, the Ordnance Storekeeper, and the Deputy Storekeeper.

*Officiating Chaplains,* Rev. C. F. Hall, Port-Royal; Rev. Wm. Rowe,

Newcastle; G. Addison, Maroon-Town; Rev. J. Stainsby, Lu-

cea; Rev. J. W. Stone, Port-Antonio; Rev. Alex. Campbell,

Up-Park-Camp; Rev. W. S. Coward, Spanish-Town.

*Roman Catholic Pastor at Newcastle,\**

**Royal Artillery.**

*Lieut. Col. Dowse* 23 Nov. 41

## CAPTAINS.

R. Tompkins 21 Nov. 33

J. H. St. John 28 Nov. 37

G. C. R. Levinge 6 Apr. 43

William Fulford 3 May —

## LIEUTENANTS.

H. Rogers 29 Apr. 41

A. F. Connell 4 Apr. 43

E. Swinton 17 Aug. —

G. T. Field 30 Oct. —

G. H. S. Milman 15 May 44

*Assist. Surgeon, W. A.*

Dassauville, M.D. 14 June 36

**Royal Engineers.**

*Major, C. Grierson* 10 Jan. 41

## CAPTAINS.

H. P. Wulf 23 Sept 36

W. C. Forbes 10 Jan. 37

## LIEUTENANTS.

A. D. Craigie 23 Nov 41

J. W. Lovell 16 Aug 44

**38th (1st Staffordsh.) Regt.**

"Monte Video." "Roleia."

"Vimiera" "Corunna" "Busaco"

"Badajos." "Salamanca."

"Vittoria." "Saint Sebastian."

"Nive." "Peninsula." "Ava."

*Colonel, Hon. Hugh Arbuthnott,*

*Lieut. Gen.* 4 Apr 43

*Lieut. Col. Sir John Campbell,*

*Bart.* 7 Aug 40

## MAJORS.

J. J. Lowth (a) 12 June 40

J. Campbell 15 June 32

## CAPTAINS.

J. P. Sparks, m. 5 Sept 26

Robert Carr 11 Dec 31

J. S. Adamson, (a) 1 Dec 37

Charles Irvine 4 May 35

J. Gage Lecky 10 Apr 40

J. W. S. Smith 7 Aug —

Frederick Tudor (a) 29 Sept 40

V. F. Story (a) 26 May 44

T. Southall 3 Jan 45

R. S. Murray (a) 19 June 35

LIEUTENANTS.

Thos. Anderson, *d. p.m.* 29 Dec 37  
Cokayne Frith, *adj.* 4 May 39  
R. Cha. Sinclair 21 Sept —  
Cha. J. Pritchard 12 June 40  
John R. Jackson 7 Aug —  
Adam Hackett 21 Apr 39  
Wm. James Loftus 8 Nov 42  
Robert Scott (*a*) 14 Apr 43  
Arth. Layard, *r.* 29 Dec 40  
James Jarvis 5 Dec 43  
Henry Holden 22 Mar 44  
E. T. Gloster, (*a*) *adj.* 3 Jan 45  
Hugh Rich. K. Hurly 16 Sept —

ENSIGNS.

Gust. Hume 30 May 43  
Roderick Hugonin 21 July —  
Samuel Hackett, (*a*) 20 Oct —  
Fiennes A. Quartley 6 Dec —  
George Green (*a*) 22 Mar 44  
Charles Clerke (*a*) 4 Oct —  
C. F. Torrens Daniell (*a*) 3 Jan 45  
W. R. Crooke (*a*) 16 Sept —  
Pay. W. F. Vernon 9 July 30  
— *lt.* 5 July 27  
*Adj.* Cokayne Frith, *lt.* 17 Nov 40  
*Qm.* James Twibills 8 May 40  
— *ensign* 7 ditto  
*Surg.* Hugh L. Stuart 17 Sept 39  
*Assist. Surg.* Edward Le Blanc  
— 21 May 41  
— R Browne 1 Mar 44

*Facings Yellow.*

*Agents, Messrs. Cox & Co.*  
*Irish Agents, Messrs. Cane & Co.*

48th (Northampton) Regt.

"Douro." "Talavera"  
"Albuera" "Badajoz."  
"Salamanca." "Vittoria"  
"Pyrenees." "Nivelle."  
"Orthes." "Toulouse."  
"Peninsula."

Colonel, Geo. Middlemore,  
*Lieut. Gen.* 31 May 43  
*Lieut. Col.* Hon. A. A. Dalzell  
— 23 Apr 41

MAJORS.

W. A. McCleverty (*a*) 23 Apr 41  
Wm. Bruce, K.H. *Lt. Col.* (*a*)  
— 30 May 43

CAPTAINS.

Robert Cole, M. 14 Aug 27  
H. Ward, M. (*a*) 10 Sept 25  
J. W. Smith (*a*) 7 — 38  
Benjamin Riky 8 — —  
H. Mountstevens 30 Nov —  
J. Moore Ross 3 Apr 40  
Maurice Emmett (*a*) 8 Jan 41  
R. C. Hamilton 23 Apr —  
Hen. Bromley (*a*) 24 May 44  
Gordon S. Tidy (*s*) 5 July —

LIEUTENANTS.

G. E. Lys (*a*) 20 Dec 31  
John Massy 16 Sept 36  
H. Wheeler, *Adj.* 27 Jan 37  
C. S. Boyle 8 Sept 38  
C. F. Henry (*a*) 30 Nov —  
And. Green (*a*) 3 Apr 40  
Robert Warburton 23 Apr 41  
Clem. W. Strong (*a*) 6 May 42  
W. Fetherston (*a*) 29 Mar 44  
A. Selleck 24 May —  
W. F. Windowe (*a*) 5 July —  
F. N. Dare (*a*) 11 Jan 44  
A. A. Chapman 17 Jan 45

ENSIGNS.

F. Andrews 27 May 42  
Reg. Bainbridge 11 Nov —  
Fred. West (*a*) 11 Aug 43  
R. P. Johnston 26 Jan 44  
W. Harman (*a*) 29 Mar —  
H. G. T. Elton (*a*) 24 May —  
James Mancor 5 July —  
Cam. Sykes (*a*) 17 Jan 45  
H. R. M. O'Sullivan (*a*)  
— 25 July 45

*Paym.* J. M. Pennington  
— 11 Feb 42  
— 25 Jan 16  
— *lt.* 31 Mar 08  
*Adj.* H. Wheeler, *Lieut.* 11 Feb 34  
*Quarterm.* J. E. Richardson  
— 9 Mar 38  
*Surgeon,* David Dyce 16 Apr 45  
*Assist. Surg.* J. T. O. John-  
son, M.D. (*a*) 3 Aug 38  
*Ditto ditto,* Rob. Bowen 18 May 41

*Facings, Buff*

*Agents, Messrs. Cox & Co. Craig's*  
Court, London  
*Irish Agent, Sir E. R. Borough,*  
Bart. Armit & Co.

**1st West-India Regt.**

*Lieut.-Col. Wm. Bush, K. H.*  
4 Sept 35  
*Major, Robert Hughes* 3 Mar 43

## CAPTAINS.

L. S. O'Connor 17 July 34  
A. Robertson 20 Dec —  
G. Robeson 1 June 39  
Ed. Lewis Knight 30 June 43

## LIEUTENANTS.

T. J. Dobson 26 Nov 30  
E. H. Bingham 1 June 39  
G. H. Robeson 31 Jan 44  
C. Q. Dick 27 Sept —  
George Allan (a) 3 Jan 45  
Charles Grange 2 May —

## ENSIGNS.

S. T. Hurford 19 Nov 41  
Thomas Clark 26 Apr 44  
Henry Johnstone 30 July —  
H. L. Cafe 27 Sept —  
George Philan 17 Jan 45  
Anthony Tunstall 2 May —  
Frederick Miller 16 — —  
George Jones 11 July —  
J. B. Fottrell 8 Aug —  
*Paymaster, M. Matthews* 28 Ju'y 43  
*Adj. E. H. Bingham* 1 Nov 42  
*Quarterm. A. Smith* 18 Nov 41  
*Surgeon, J. E. Stewart* 2 Nov 30

*Facings, White.*

*Agents, Messrs. Cox & Co.*

**2nd West-India Regt.**

*Colonel, Eflingham Lindsay,*  
*Lt. Gen. (a)* 25 Aug 43

## LIEUTENANT-COLONELS.

Sir F. Cockburn, Col. (a) 30 July 29  
Henry C. Cobbe (a) 26 May 44

## MAJORS.

James Allen (a) 29 Dec 40  
Herbert Mends (a) 26 May 44

## CAPTAINS.

John J. Peck (a) 8 June 30  
E. C. Sodder 10 Nov 34  
E. S. N. Campbell (a) 7 Oct 36  
R. Elliott (a) 7 Aug 39  
S. J. Hill (a) 15 Apr 42  
H. W. Whiffeld (a) — — —  
George Howell (a) 2 Aug —  
W. H. Nicolls (a) 27 Dec 43  
A. B. Kenyon (a) 26 May 44  
J. E. Boggis (a) 26 July —  
L. C. W. H. Fitzgerald 10 Nov —  
G. F. Bartley (a) 20 June 45

## LIEUTENANTS.

John Miller (a) 25 Jan 39  
W. Anderson (a) 25 Oct —  
J. D. Mends (a) 26 — —  
J. Potts (a) 30 Dec —  
J. G. Cox (a) 31 — —  
J. W. Glubb (a) 8 Mar 40  
W. M'C Murray (a) 4 Aug 41  
Joseph Hill (a) 25 Feb 42  
John Harger (a) (s) 15 Apr —  
S. Blayney Gordon — — —  
George Bennett — — —  
W. E. Mockler (a) — — —  
John Harpur, *Adj.* 18 Aug —  
J. C. M'Pherson (a) 29 Dec —  
C. C. Rookes (a) 31 — —  
Robert Scott (a) 10 Nov 43  
A. P. Smith (a) 27 Dec. —  
A. W. Joyce (a) 28 Mar —  
Arthur Hunt (a) 26 May —  
F. W. N. G. Colleton 23 July —  
A. Macpherson 26 — —  
T. B. Tuite (a) 23 Aug —  
C. T. Dumeresque 20 Oct 43  
J. M'Court 1 July 45  
J. C. Harnett (a) 14 Apr 45

## ENSIGNS.

R. A. Dagb (a) 2 Jan 43  
R. C. D. Bruce (a) 10 Nov —



T. P. Wright 2 Feb 44  
James Lawless (a) 14 June —  
J. Salmon Gordon 30 July —  
G. G. Griffith 23 Aug —  
C. J. G. Williams (a) 30 — —  
G. J. Ivey (a) 1 Nov —  
D. A. Patterson (a) 4 Apr 45  
J. T. Shower (a) 9 May —  
A. Thwaites (a) 1 Aug —  
A. J. B. Child (a) 28 Aug —  
Adj. J. Harpur, Lieut. (a) 15 Dec 40

Qrtm. Thos. Birley (a) 20 Oct 43  
Surgeon, J. Richardson (a) 5 Jan 26

Ditto ditto, C. Macartney, M.B. (a) 2 Feb 44  
Ditto ditto, E. B. Tuson (a) 20 Aug —

Facings, Yellow.

Agents, Messrs. Price & Son, Craven-street, Strand. London.

### Civil Departments of the Army.

#### COMMISSARIAT.

DEPUTY COMMISSARY GENERAL.  
H. J. A. Wild 20 Jan 37  
ASSISTANT COMMISSARY GENERALS.  
Henry Laurie 19 Mar 38  
John Mason 1 July 40  
DEPUTY ASSISTANT COMMISSARY GENERALS.  
Charles Malassez 20 May 28  
John Trimmer 28 June 38  
Thomas M'Cann 24 Aug 42  
Alfred Bishop 24 Aug —

#### Medical.

DEPUTY INSPECTOR GENERAL.  
W. Hackett, M.D. 6 Jan 43  
STAFF SURGEONS.  
First Class, W. Munro 5 Jan 26  
Second ditto, Geo. Allman 26 Feb 41  
STAFF ASSISTANT SURGEONS.  
T. M. Fishburne, M.D. 22 July 36  
W. Denny 13 Jan 37  
A. D. Taylor 15 Sept 37  
Arthur T. English 16 Feb 41  
James H. Hardie, M.D. 6 Aug —

William Barrett, M.B. 20 Oct 43  
Alfred Crocker 26 Jan 44  
W. F. T. Ivey 31 May 45  
Wellington Poole 1 Aug 45

#### MEDICAL CLERK.

J. A. Pope 2 Apr 40

#### Ordnance.

##### ORDNANCE STOREKEEPER.

Alexander Fullerton 1 Oct 32

##### DEPUTY STOREKEEPER.

Charles Middleton 1 Oct 32

##### ESTABLISHED CLERKS.

T. C. Martelli 24 Dec 29  
J. Drew 13 June 38  
A. Tripe 20 Aug 41  
T. C. Rowland (a) 7 Dec —  
John Nicholls Apr 44  
Phys and Surg. R. Chamberlaine, M.D. M.R.S.C. 23 May 45

#### Barrackmasters.

Capt. Gordon, Port-Antonio 26 July 33  
Mr. Martelli (actg.) Up-Park-Camp, Stony-Hill, and Kingston  
Lieut. McGoldrick, Falmouth and Maroon-Town 17 Dec 41  
Capt. Hawkins, Lucea and Montego Bay 5 Apr 42  
Lieut. Harrison, Newcastle 26 July —  
Captain Pat. Campbell, Fort-Angusta, Port-Royal, Apostles Battery, and Spanish-Town 20 Feb 43

#### Royal Engineer Department.

##### CLERKS OF WORKS.

W. M. Cavell 29 Apr 40  
W. Colechin 23 Apr 41  
T. Fabian 20 June 42

##### CLERKS.

S. H. King 3 June 43  
C. K. Cleeve 6 Mar 43  
John Bacon 29 Mar 44

## NAVY ON THE STATION.

VICE-ADMIRAL SIR FRANCIS W. AUSTEN, K.C.B.  
COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

*Flag Captain*, MIHAEL SEYMOUR.

*Flag Lieutenant*, HERBERT G. AUSTEN.

*Secretary*, WM. D. JEANS.

*Commodore*, DANIEL PRING.

*Secretary*, BERESFORD SCOTT.

**Eurydice, 26.**

*Capt.* George Elliott

*Lieut.* Edmund Heathcote

— George H. Gardner

— John De C. Agnew

— Charles H. May

*Master*, John Burdwood

*1st Lieut. Mar.* R. S. Moubray

*Surgeon*, Gilbert T. M. Martin

*Paymaster & Purser*, Robt. Loney

*Naval Instruc.* Fred. W. Bonter

*Assist. Surg.* Wm. T. Domville

**Hermes, (Steam Sloop.)**

*Lieut. Com.* Washington Carr

*2nd Master*, G. B. Swain

*Assist. Surg.* Wm. H. Bent

*Clerk in charge*, E. B. Robbins

**Hyacinth, 18.**

*Commander*, Francis Scott

*Lieut.* Colin Y. Campbell

— John O. Johnstone

— Wm. A. J. Heath

*Master*, Wm. C. Hele

*Surgeon*, Wm. M'Crea

*Paym. & Purser*, Thos. Hockings

*Assist. Surg.* Chas. J. S. Kevern

**Imaum, 72, (Receiving Ship.)**

*Commodore*, Daniel Pring

*Commander*, Henry M. E. Allen

*Lieut.* Ashley La Touche

— Arch. D. Jolly

*Master*, Philip C. D. Bean

*Surgeon*, Alex. Cross

*Chaplain*, Henry W. Taylor

*Paym. & Purser*, Wm. Bailey

*Assist. Surg.* John Sale (*actg.*)

**Lark, 2.**

*Lieut. Com.* George B. Lawrence

*Assist. Surg.* †

*2nd Master*, Thomas Earl (*actg.*)

*Clerk in charge*, J. Hayward (*actg.*)

**PERSIAN, 16.**

*Commander*, Henry Coryton

*Lieut.* Wm. A. Fellows

— Brook Young

— Charles Pechell

*Master*, James Bruter

*Surgeon*, Wm. W. Baynes

*Paym. & Purser*, Joseph W. Maddock

*Assist. Surg.* S. S. D. Wells

**Pickle, 2.**

*Lieut. Com.* J. A. Bainbridge

*Assist. Surg.* George H. Ryan

*2nd Master*, N. J. Loane

*Clerk in charge*, J. Shambler

**Pique, 36.**

**Capt.** Hon. Montague Stopford  
**Lieut.** John Macdougall  
 — Edward H. Kennett  
 — Richard R. Western  
 — Horace M. Baker  
 — H. G. St. J. Mildmay  
**Master,** G. Filmer (*actg.*)  
**1st Lieut. Mar.** Wm. R. Searle  
**2d Lieut. Mar.** G. B. Puddicombe  
**Chaplain,** Wm. N. Snowe  
**Surgeon,** Wm. Folds  
**Paym. & Purser,** James Giles  
**Nav. Instructor,** George Foster  
**Assist. Surg.** Robert Bernard  
**2d Master,** Alfred Balliston

**Rose, 18.**

**Commander,** R. W. Pelly  
**Lieut.** W. H. Dobbie  
 — Percy Parkhurst  
 — John Palmer  
**Master,** D. Welch  
**Surgeon,** Robert Stevenson  
**Paym. & Purser,** George Grant  
**Assist. Surg.** John Jeffcott

**Thunder, 6, (Surveying.)**

**Commander,** Edward Barnett  
**Lieut.** Augustus Gordon  
 — Wm. Mooney  
**Master,** J. Scott, (*actg.*)  
**Surgeon,** John Ferrier  
**Paym. & Purser,** C. A. Thorne (*actg.*)  
**Assist. Surg.** Fred. M. Rayner  
**2d Master,** Thomas Earl

**Vesuvius, (Steam Sloop.)**

**Commander,** G. W. D. O'Callaghan  
**Lieut.** Constantine G. Glinn  
 — Wm. Armytage  
 — E. J. B. Clarke  
**Master,** Wm. Ellis  
**Surgeon,** Thomas H. Kenon  
**Paym. & Purser,** J. N. D. Veries  
**Assist. Surg.** Edmund Lawless

**Vindictive, 50, (Flag Ship.)**

**Captain,** Michael Seymour  
**Additional,** Henry W. Bayfield  
*For Surveying Service.*  
**Commander,** Jeffery W. Noble  
**Additional,** John Oalebar

*For Surveying Service.*

**Lieut.** Edward Franklin  
 — W. F. Robinson  
 — Wm. K. Hall  
 — Augustus J. Burton  
 — Herbert G. Austen, F.L.  
 — John Hancock  
 — Alfred Kartright  
 — Henry Bernard  
 — Charles J. Austen  
 — John Conoley  
 — Wm. E. Shaw  
 — Wm. G. Deane  
**Master,** James B. Tucker  
**Captain Mar.** Richard Searle  
**2d Lieut. Mar.** H. J. Taibe  
**Chaplain,** George Austin  
**Dep. Inspec. Hosp.** Daniel King,  
 M.D.  
**Paym. & Purser,** George Waller  
**Nav. Instruc.** John D. Kennedy  
**Assist. Surgeon,** Oliver T. Miller  
 — John M'Whinnie  
**Additional,** James C. Walsh  
 — George H. Ryan  
 — James A. S. Ryan  
 — James A. S. Addison  
 — Fras. M'Are (actg.)  
 — Allan Brown (actg.)  
 — Charles Roberts (actg.)  
**2d Master,** John N. Willis

**Naval Hospital.**

**Dep. Inspector,** Edw. Hilditch  
**Dispenser,** John Watson  
**Assist. Surgeon,** J. Turner Caddy  
**Clerk,** James Finlay

## M I L I T I A.

CAPTAIN-GENERAL AND GOVERNOR IN CHIEF,  
HIS EXCELLENCY THE EARL OF ELGIN AND KINCARDINE.

*Military Secretary*, John Davy, esq. Jan —, 1838  
*Aides de Camp*, Lieut.-Col. Alex. Reid Scott, March 20, 1837—  
 Lieut. Col. William Thomas Kemble, May 12, 1838  
*Adjutant-General*, Colonel Thomas Land, May 11, 1838  
*Assistant ditto*, Captain John Haughton James, Nov. 12, 1834  
*Assistant ditto*, Lieut.-Colonel Thomas Palmer Rogers, Oct 12, 1820  
*Deputy ditto*, Captain William Tharp, July 23, 1832  
*Quartermaster-General*, Lieut.-Col. Thomas M'Whinney, June 28, 1824  
*Deputy ditto*, Major Henry Lord Garrigues, June 11, 1825  
*Deputy ditto*, Lieut.-Col. Bartholomew I. Williams, July 6, 1836  
*Judge Advocate General*, John Gale Vidal, March 13, 1832  
*Deputy ditto for Cornwall*, Frederick Burt Zincke, Jan 31, 1811  
*Surgeon General*, Rich. Chamberlaine, M. D. M.R.C.S. July 8, 1820  
*Deputy Physician General*, James W. Buchannan, Sept. 5, 1835  
*Deputy Physician General and Inspector of Hospitals for the County of Middlesex*, Lewis Quier Bowerbank, M.D. May 15, 1837

## MAJOR-GENERALS.

Hon. D. Robertson	10 Dec 1830	Hon. Thomas M'Conock	3 Feb 1841
Robert Page	21 Oct 1836	James Dunstone	
Hon. Saml. J. Dallas	5 May 1841		

The Districts of Militia are organized as follow:—

- No. 1. The parishes of St. Catherine, St. John, St. Dorothy, St. Mary, Clarendon, and Vere—Under the command of Major-General Robert Page  
*Major of Brigade*, Major Henry Lowndes, St. Thomas in the Vale Regiment  
*Aide-de-Camp*, Lieut. Edward Thompson, Clarendon Regiment
- No. 2. The parishes of Kingston, St. Andrew, and Port-Royal—Under the command of Major-General Hon. Samuel J. Dallas.  
*Major of Brigade*, Capt. John Duff, Kingston Regiment  
*Aide-de-Camp*, Lieut. John Fowles, ditto ditto
- No. 3. The parishes of St. Ann (two Regiments), Trelawny, St. James, and Hanover—Under the command of Major-General James Dunstone.  
*Major of Brigade*, Lieut. John L. Walcott, of the Trelawny Windward Troop  
*Aide-de-Camp*, Lieut. P. Anderson, of the Trelawny Leeward Troop

No. 4. The parishes of Manchester, St. Elizabeth, and Westmorland—Under the command of Major-General Hon. Duncan Robertson

*Major of Brigade*, Captain Hon. Thomas M'Neel, of the Westmorland Regiment

*Aide-de-Camp*, Lieut. Thomas Wheettle

No. 5. The parishes of St. Thomas in the East, St. David, Portland, and St. George—Under the command of Major-General Hon. Thos. M'Cornock

*Major of Brigade*, Capt. William Humphreys, of the St. Thomas in the East and St. David's Regiment.

*Aide-de-Camp*, Lieut. W. Patterson, of the St. Thomas in the East and St. David's Regiment.

### REGIMENTS OF HORSE.

#### MIDDLESEX.

*Colonel*, Fras. M'Cook 5 Sept 40

##### LIEUTENANT-COLONELS.

James M'Catty 1 Dec 40

R. H. Hemming 16 Apr 41

##### MAJORS.

Adam Gunn 5 Apr 41

G. F. Willett 17 — —

##### CAPTAINS.

R. C. Plunkett 17 Aug 37

Asher Asher 21 Dec —

Canute Wilson 12 May 38

Michael Kelly 15 Oct —

J. R. Hollingsworth

G. B. Jones 2 Dec 39

Gilbert Shaw 1 Feb 41

James M'Larty 4 July —

Michael Kelly

Thomas Bowden 12 July 43

John Borland 4 Dec —

George R. Tingle 3 Dec 45

##### LIEUTENANTS.

F. S. Fleming 29 July 29

Thomas Wright 27 May 37

John Brown

William T. Bawn

Joseph Isaacs 17 June —

W. G. Clark 1 Feb 38

Henry Mignott 15 May —

J. T. Howell 1 June 38

James Derbyshire 15 Feb 39

J. Mogg 6 July 41

James Wodd 8 — —

S. D. Lindo 8 Dec. —

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J. M'Larty 18 Mar 42

A. Sutherland 23 Apr —

J. Dillon 1 Oct —

Robert Darling 25 Jan 43

A. W. Heron 16 July —

John Bowen 14 Sept 43

Robert Russell 4 Nov 45

##### CORNETS.

William Lee 16 June 33

J. Smith 11 July 37.

J. Smallborn 9 Dec 40

James Lingara 3 June 41

William Jarman 4 Jan 42

William Pyther 24 Apr —

James Godfrey 21 May —

A. Thompson 2 Oct 42

T. B. Grace 1 Dec —

T. J. Long 21 Mar 43

H. Berestford 14 Sept —

James Falconer

T. R. Jarman

Mark Plues 18 June 45

George M'Queen 15 Nov —

John Wilson 3 Dec —

##### SURGEONS.

Andrew Dunn 14 Apr 27

R. G. Bruce

Thomas Bygrave

T. S. Baileij 29 Nov 29

J. Anderson 29 Jan 34

W. R. Rose 19 Feb —

W. T. Smith 12 Dec 38

*Adj. E. Simpson* 6 Apr 20

*Quarterm. A. Sicard* 26 — —

*Dep. Judge Adv. James Allwood*

28 July 27

## SURREY.

## LIEUTENANT-COLONELS.

Robert Chisholm 13 Oct 38  
George Parker 30 Aug 42

## MAJORS.

Diederick Cooper 3 Aug 41  
H. F. Leslie 31 July 42

## CAPTAINS.

T. P. Speed 20 Oct 34  
Robert Sproull 1 Mar 41  
A. J. Lindo 1 Apr 41  
Robert Taylor 2 Aug —  
E. M'Geachy — — —  
John Gordon 3 — — —  
Hugh Paterson 4 — — —  
M. Thompson 6 — — —  
F. R. Coy 1 Dec —

## LIEUTENANTS.

G. Rutherford 25 Oct 34  
William Hughes 14 Nov —  
Shaw Grosett 4 May 38  
William Hislop 29 — — —  
Adam Reid 3 Dec 39  
A. H. Isaacs 3 Aug 41  
Wm. Arrowsmith 4 — — —  
M. Taffe — — —  
R. J. Hall 5 — — —  
Wm. Haughton — — —  
P. Donegan 4 Jan 42  
G. D. Parker 6 Nov —  
W. D. Hodgson 17 June 43  
John M. Smith 9 Apr 37  
H. M'Lean Wood  
T. R. Coy

## CORNETS.

H. Richardson 26 Oct 34  
Wm. T. Hodgson 6 Aug 41  
J. Layton — — —  
John W. James 7 — — —  
F. C. Curdie 22 — — —  
Wm. M. Dunn 26 Jan 42  
M. M. Solas 5 May 43  
Alexander Branker 30 — — —  
Ambrose Cater 30 July —  
James Henry M'Dowell 3 Dec 45

## SURGEONS.

J. Macfadyen, M.D. 20 Oct 32  
W. Arnold  
George M'Dowal  
J. Williamson  
W. J. Henderson 26 July 37  
Adj. Jas. H. M'Dowell 4 Dec 45  
Dep. Judge Adv. A. W. Aikman,  
E. B. Thomas, R. Dunbar, J.  
Marshall, R. G. Marshall

## CORNWALL

Colonel, Lawrence Hislop 16 July 43

## LIEUTENANT-COLONELS.

John Huggup 16 Dec 35  
James Dunstone 10 June 40  
Charles M'Kenzie 9 Oct 43

## MAJORS.

Edward Barker 17 July 43  
John Maitland 11 July 45

## CAPTAINS.

Thomas Leslie 11 Nov 31  
P. Anderson 1 July 41  
John L. Walcott 25 Dec —  
John Ewart 2 Sept 42  
William Glenn 12 July 43  
Alexander Gladstone 23 June 45  
Charles Nicholson 14 Jan 46

## LIEUTENANTS.

Ezekiel Wright 18 Feb. 29  
John Buchanan 11 Nov 31  
Hugh A. Whitelocke 5 Apr 33  
J. T. Medley 30 July 37  
Joseph Stubbs 22 Sept —  
D. J. Davis 12 Apr 38  
George Hornbrook 1 June 41  
Richard Parker 2 — — —  
Allan Kennedy 2 Dec —  
John Melmouth 1 May 42  
Lewis A. Bing 22 Sept 43  
Wm. V. Walcott 7 Dec —  
P. S. Ogivie 26 Nov 44  
John Salmon 23 June 45

## CORNETS.

T. Glen 29 Nov 37  
T. G. Haynes 3 June 41  
T. T. Simpson 8 May 42  
G. B. Vidal 22 Sept 43  
H. Favours 8 Dec —  
Alfred Woodley  
J. L. Mackie  
Daniel Melhado 14 Jan 46

## SURGEONS.

P. Spence 20 Mar 19  
T. F. M'Donald 18 Feb 22  
D. Mason 3 Sept 33  
G. Willis 27 Apr 38  
D. Gardner 16 — — —  
T. Mitchell Nov —  
Dep Judge Adv. David Cooper 23 Nov 26  
Ditto ditto, James Binns — — —  
Adj. Allan Kennedy 25 May 33  
Quarterm. J. W. Leyden 1 July 42  
Sérjt.-Maj. A. J. Rankin 24 Apr 37

## REGIMENTS OF FOOT.

## MIDDLESEX.

## ST. CATHERINE.

Colonel, James Heighington  
27 Aug 35

## LIEUTENANT-COLONELS.

William Kemble 80 May 42

## MAJORS.

Samuel Rennalls 1 Sept 42

Philip Redwood — 43

## ARTILLERY COMPANY.

Capt.\*

Lieut. John V. Leach 17 Apr 42

Ditto, George A. Thompson  
18 — —

## CAPTAINS.

Bryan Edwards 2 May 40

D. P. Mendes 14 June 41

James P. Clarke 15 June —

A. H. Lewis 5 July —

Charles Harvey 8 June 42

William T. March 18 Aug —

John Brown 15 Mar 43

## LIEUTENANTS.

Haughton James 18 Apr 34

John M. R. Laing 12 Feb 40

James Gayleard, jun. 1 May —

John Minot 15 May 42

Boswell Middleton 19 — —

Charles C. Hamilton 25 Sept —

D. I. Soares 31 Oct —

George G. Grant

William R. Myers

## ENSIGNS.

Samuel S. Wortley 1 May 40

Robert Russell 6 July 41

W. W. Mackeson 11 June 42

Wm. F. Lewis 10 July —

W. S. Farquharson 7 Aug —

Adjt. Robert Wilkie

Surgeon, A. L. Palmer

Quarterm. A. H. Cathcart

19 Apr 42

Dep. Judge Adv. James

Allwood 25 July 30

Secretaries, Richard Charlton and

John Bryant

Marshal, Wm. P. Valentine

## ST. JOHN AND ST. DOROTHY.

Colonel, Thos Ludford 2 June 42

Lieut.-Col. J. P. Nash 1 Aug —

Major, E. W. Burke 3 — —

## CAPTAINS.

Alexander Smith 25 Oct 30

Peter Harrison 5 Mar 40

Thomas Hansill 6 June 42

Michael Collman 8 — —

George King 9 — —

William R. Gordon

## LIEUTENANTS.

S. H. Rodgers 10 June —

Edward Leeson — — —

William Smith 12 — —

Thomas Melville 13 — —

George Edwards 14 — —

## ENSIGNS.

James Smith 5 Dec 41

Theophilus Bloomfield 15 June 42

William Jones

J. M. Griffiths

John Davy

Melbourne Griffith 1 Mar 43

George R. F. Bourke 29 July 45

Chaplain, Rev. G. W. Rowe

Quarterm. R. G. Hume 19 July 28

Ditto, D. Patterson 30 July 27

Surgeon, J. Gilzean 26 July 34

Actg. Adjt. Lieut. S. H. Rogers

Dep. Judge Adv. James Ayles

27 July 38

Marshals, H. W. Malcolm, for

St. John; Nicholas Rosewess,

for St. Dorothy

## ST. THOMAS IN THE VALE.

Colonel, Peter F. Garrigues

16 July 46

Lieut.-Colonel,\*

## MAJORS.

Richard M. White

Robert Allen

18 July 43

## CAPTAINS.

Peter Blackburn

30 May 38

George Rees

12 Dec 40

R. G. Lowndes

25 Sept 42

Daniel P. Trench

10 Dec 45

## LIEUTENANTS.

Charles Gruber

14 Feb 41

Samuel Rogers

1 Sept 42

Joseph Teape

23 May —

J. R. Murchison

A. G. Robertson

## ENSIGNS.

John M'Dermott

16 June 35

E. C. Grant

10 June 41

John H. Sharp

4 July 42

William M'Nab

30 Sept —

William Rodon

1 Oct —

Edward Kinhead

5 Nov —

Adam Sutherland

10 Apr —

Robert B. Smith

10 Mar 45

Francis Simpson

7 Apr —

Robert F. F. Page

29 July —

Actg. Adj. J. H. Sharp

Chaplain, Rev. W. G. Burton

16 Sept 16

Surgeon, C. H. M'Dermott

20 July 26

Dep. Judg Adv. T. Edbury

5 Jan 25

Marshal, W. Cox

## CLARENDON.

## COLONELS.

James Miller

14 Oct 37

Robert Jackson, *en sec.*

## LIEUTENANT-COLONEL.

William Collman

8 Dec 37

## MAJORS.

George Russell

1 Mar 41

William Rose

1 Oct 41

## CAPTAINS.

William Duncan

27 Feb 37

John A. Kennedy

29 Jan 38

Nicholas Grose

1 Feb 39

John Scott

1 Apr 40

Edward Thompson

2 Mar 41

Paul M'Kenzie

3 — —

James Sullivan

13 Sept 43

Thomas Crosdaile

17 Apr 45

## LIEUTENANTS.

Donald M'Millan

9 June 36

George Russell, jun.

6 May 37

Wm. M. Oddie

3 Apr 40

John Pricket

4 Mar 41

John Girvan

5 — —

Robert Smith

2 Oct 42

David Eaton, *en sec.*

4 Apr —

Francis Lowe

12 Sept —

John Thom

13 Mar 45

James Lawrence

8 Sept —

## ENSIGNS.

Georg R. M'Lean

8 Dec 38

Henry Hull

27 Mar 41

Henry Shawe

4 Oct 41

James L. Miller

5 — —

Henry Drake

20 June 42

John Ridson

13 July 43

Stephen S. Gale

13 Sept —

Quarterm. Ronald M'Donald

13 Sept —

Surgeon, John Tait

9 Apr 39

Dep. Judge Adv. Fras. H. Moxy

June 40

Ditto ditto, M. M. M'Kinnon, *en**sec.*

Chaplain, Rev. Dr. S. H. Stewart

Marshal, James Shaw

Assist. ditto, George Bartley

## VERE.

Colonel. T. Anderson

1 Apr 42

Lieut.-Col. Wm. Dowell

4 June —

Major,\*

## CAPTAINS.

John Stirk

14 Jan 32



Alex. Johnson 2 Feb 39  
Daniel Callaghan 5 Aug 41  
Edward W. Bratt 22 May 42  
John Snaith 10 Sept —  
James Allen 12 Nov 45

LIEUTENANTS.

Joseph Alloway 12 Aug 33  
John W. Hume 24 Nov 38  
James M. Gibb 24 May 42  
Charles Douglas 25 — —

ENSIGNS.

Robert Matthie 8 Apr 36  
Thomas C. Lungren 22 Aug 37  
A. G. Kerr 21 May 42  
John Birmingham 26 — —  
Wm. P. Coles 27 — —  
John Dodd 30 — —  
John Mitchell 21 Sept —  
John Moore 10 Nov 45

Chaplain,\*

Quarterm. J. W. Ward 15 Dec 36

Surgeon, Charles Truch 30 Mar 31

Dep. Judge Adv. Louis F. M'Kinnon 14 May 37

Marshal, Alex. Da Silva

Secretary, Alex. G. Kerr

MANCHESTER.

Col. Sam. Glanville 24 June 39  
Lieut.-Col. John Coley 1 Apr 41

MAJORS.

John Davy 2 Apr 41  
Thomas Sweetland 1 Apr 42

CAPTAINS.

James Stevenson 7 Dec 37  
Alex. C. Logan 7 Apr 41  
Hugh Kennedy 7 Apr —  
Wm. Robertson 1 Aug —  
J. Lewis 16 Apr 42  
John Clark 17 Apr —  
Rudolph Lewis 19 Apr —

LIEUTENANTS.

Matthew Ham 29 Oct. 23  
Robert Pearson Apr 41  
Richard Jackson 1 May —

Charles M. Ingram 10 Apr 41  
John Humber, *en sec.*  
Thomas Burrell 21 Apr 42  
George Thompson 22 Apr —  
James Brown 23 Apr —  
T. B. Scholey 24 Apr —  
P. Robinson 18 May —

ENSIGNS.

Benjamin Samuda, *Adj.* 25 Apr —  
Henry Depass 27 — —  
William Austen 28 — —  
Alexander Gordon 29 — —  
Charles Booth 1 May —  
J. W. Grant 24 Sept —  
Joseph Levy 25 — —  
John Sawyer 29 — —  
Peter Galway 28 Oct 43  
Quarterm. W. Davy 9 July 28  
Surg. F. M'Chivers 12 July 37  
Surg. *en sec.* Geo. Dempster  
Assist. Surg. W. Hay 6 May 38  
Dep. Judge Adv. J. R. Williamson 21 July 38

ST. MARY.

Colonel, John Ray 1 June 42  
Lieut. Col. Henry Cox 14 Aug 43

MAJORS.

Henry Rigg 3 Sept 42  
James Geddes 24 Oct 43

CAPTAINS.

W. T. Martin 4 Dec 24  
John Harris 2 Apr 41  
E. Saunders 24 June 42  
John Bell 26 — —  
Patrick Morgan 5 Nov —  
John C. Smart  
Robert Gregor 1 June 43  
Thomas Matthewson 18 Jan 43  
Henry A. Thompson 16 — 45  
Abraham De Souaa 14 — —  
John W. Reid 1 May 45

ENSIGNS.

Charles Draeseke 7 July 42  
James Ray 9 — —  
James Ross 16 June 43

John Ward 1 July 43  
*Chaplain, Rev. W. Girod*  
*Quarterm. John M. Geffrey*  
 1 June 41  
*Dep. Judge Adv. Stepney*  
*Guthrie* 3 Oct 43  
*Surgeons, Drs. Cooke & M'Nabb*

## ST. ANN'S EASTERN.

*Colonel, Samuel Whitehorne*  
 16 July 42  
*Lieut.-Col. H. C. Smallwood*  
 26 Oct —

## MAJORS.

Thomas Taylor 27 Oct —  
 Robert Robinson 13 Dec 43

## CAPTAINS.

George Robinson  
 Thomas Geoghegan 1 Aug 35  
 Joseph M'Donnell 22 Aug 41  
 R. Holworthy  
 George Hickling 28 Oct 42  
 Charles Brown 21 Aug 43

## LIEUTENANTS.

Thomas M'Culloch 16 Jan 41  
 Samuel Horlock 8 Apr 42  
 R. G. Drew 16 May —  
 George Middleton 28 Oct —  
 John Kelly — — — —  
 William Archer — — — —  
 Thomas M'Culloch Mar 43  
 Lucius Leever 9 Aug —  
 Donald M'Intosh 22 — — —  
 James W. Rose 13 Dec —

## ENSIGNS.

Forrester  
 Wm. Burrowes 22 Feb 43  
 Joseph Bravo — — — —  
*Adj. John Smith*  
*Surgeon, G. R. Stennett*  
 29 Apr 23  
*Assist. ditto, James Scott*  
*Quarterm. R. Parkinson* 9 Jan 35  
*Dep. Judge Adv. Charles C.*  
*Bravo* 5 May 40

## ST. ANN'S WESTERN.

*Colonel, John Clarke* 1 Jan 46  
*Colonel en sec. Gilbert W.*  
 Senior 25 Feb 37  
*Lieut. Col. Raymond Shelly*  
 21 Nov 34

## MAJOR.

James Low 2 Sept 39

## ARTILLERY.

*Capt. Edward Walker* 1 June 40  
*Lieut. James Wishart* 31 July 36  
 — Judah Moses 2 June 43

## CAPTAINS.

Lucius Tucker 25 July 37  
 James Smith 26 — —  
 William L. Watt 20 Apr 38  
 John Strachan 16 Nov —  
 Henry R. Gray 1 May 41  
 Patrick D. Gordon 27 Aug 42  
 James Broderick  
 Edward H. Clarke 30 June 43

## LIEUTENANTS.

John A. Stephenson 26 July 37  
 William B. Brown 29 Aug 42  
 Alexander F. Brown 30 — —  
 William Wilson 1 Sept —

## ENSIGNS.

Joseph Osborne, *Adj.* 18 Nov 38  
 James B. Beggs Sept 40  
 Wm. Mattheson 23 June —  
 Robert Mein 2 Apr 41  
 Henry Tapper 3 Apr —  
 John Oron 8 Dec 42  
*Surgeon, T. Johnstone* 20 Oct 32  
*Assist. ditto. R. Wilson* 10 May 35  
*Quarterm. John Hilsgame*  
 8 Dec 43  
*Dep. Judge Adv. Edward*  
*Tucker* 5 May —

## WESTERN INTERIOR.

*Colonel, Thomas M'Neel*  
 18 May 43

*Lieut.-Col. Isaac Jackson*

33 June 43  
*Major, Frederick H. Jackson*  
 30 June —

## CAPTAINS.

Wm. H. Cook 1 May 42  
 Benjamin Vickers 6 July —  
 Edward H. Clarke 6 July 43

## LIEUTENANTS.

James Scott 19 Nov 37  
 John Graham 20 Apr 41  
 John Linnell 2 July 43  
 Wm. Whittingham 3 — —  
 John W. Parker 15 — —

## ENSIGNS.

Joseph Whittingham 3 — —  
 Robert Main 4 — —  
 John Hudson 5 — —  
 Henry Sealy 16 — —  
*Surgeon, James Davidson*  
 23 Sept 23

*Assist. Surgeon, Alex. M'Bean*  
 23 July 43  
*Quarterm. Andrew M'Farlane*  
 13 June —  
*Dep. Judge Adv. H. G. Grave*  
 13 July 43

## SURREY.

## KINGSTON.

## COLONEL IN CHIEF.

John Fowles 2 Oct 20

## COLONELS OF BATTALIONS.

George B. Smith 20 Feb 38

## LIEUTENANT-COLONELS.

Isaac Jones 22 Aug 36  
 Charles Brown 28 Apr 38  
 Robert D. Brown 21 July 40  
 Rich. J. C. Hitchins 11 July 42

## MAJORS.

Wm. A. Nethersole 20 Sept 41  
 Charles Dewdney 3 Mar 42  
 Edward C. Mowatt 4 Mar —  
 Donald Campbell 6 Aug 42

## ARTILLERY.

*Major, David Lopez* 30 Sept 41  
*Capt. Edmund Simon* 22 Feb 38  
 — Saul Moss 1 Oct 41  
*Lieut. J. Q. Henriques* 18 Mar 35  
 — S. Belinfante 24 Mar 36  
 — S. Schloss 25 May —  
 — A. Jacobs 22 Aug —  
 — R. J. M'Pherson 26 Feb 41

— Wm. Abrams 2 Oct —

## CAPTAINS.

John Leake 5 Sept 35  
 Richard Whitworth 21 Apr 38  
 James Carson 23 July 40  
 John Duff 24 — —  
 James Porteous 9 Feb 41  
 Wm. James Harvey 11 June —  
 David Smith 23 Sept —  
 Andrew Milne 1 Oct —  
 Wm. J. Rutherford 16 Apr 43  
 Henry Hutchings 30 Apr —  
 John Hoyes 1 May —  
 H. J. Kemble 13 July —  
 Edward C. Lewis 14 — —  
 Andrew Scott 15 — —  
 George Delgado 16 — —  
 Wm. Wright 15 Sept —  
 Thomas Ellis 24 — —  
 John Branday 20 May 43  
 James K. Fingzies 23 May —  
 Emanuel Lyons 10 Aug —

## LIEUTENANTS.

John Fowles, jun. 28 Sept 33  
 James Minot 19 Mar 35  
 James A. Fowles 29 Aug 36  
 Edward Todd 25 Jan 37  
 F. G. Mayne 24 June —  
 J. W. Seymour 21 Apr 38  
 John Harvey 25 — —  
 George E. Aldred 27 — —  
 G. B. Smith, jun. 21 July —  
 T. B. Wiltshire 1 Aug 40  
 elynus White — — —  
 R. C. Thompson 21 Dec —  
 Thomas Gunter 10 Feb 41  
 William Girod 1 Apr —  
 W. W. Prescott 12 June —

Wm. B. Morris 13 June 41  
D. R. Mitchelson 14 ———  
Samuel Hendrick 15 ———  
Peter A. Espeut 16 ———  
W. A. Hamilton 24 Sept —  
Thomas A. Cushnie 26 ———

Colin Campbell 2 Jan 42  
James Mills 7 Mar —  
B. A. Franklin 8 ———

Jeremiah Leaycraft 25 Apr —  
A. S. Lyon 2 May —  
James F. Gyles 3 ———

Charles Armstrong 4 ———  
W. J. Pearson 5 ———  
W. B. Seymour 6 ———

Thomas Burke 18 July —  
John Wray 19 ———  
David H. Lambert 20 ———

Charles Lambert 21 ———  
Henry Delgado 22 ———  
George Morce 23 ———

Jacob T. Dias 24 ———  
Francis Smith 6 Sept —  
Lewis Aria 14 ———

John Bailey 25 ———  
John W. Johnson 31 Oct —  
Alex. J. Inglis 9 Jan 43

Foster H. March 25 Mar —  
Charles B. Barclay 10 Aug —

## ENSIGNS.

John Ashburn 19 Aug 36  
Thomas Rodgers 11 Mar 42  
William Phillips 8 May —

David Martin 10 ———  
John Bealing 11 ———  
William Breakspear 27 July —

C. Laulanie 28 ———  
John Lawrence 29 ———  
Thomas Morrison 30 ———

Thomas J. Groom 31 ———  
Henry Pinnock 4 Sept —  
Simon Frazer 5 ———

Richard Hitchens 26 ———  
Robert Artice 25 May 43  
Philip Belinfante 18 Oct —

Frederick A. Nethersole 19 ———  
James McDonald Feb 44  
Alexander Nathan 1 May 45

## SURGEONS.

Solomon Altman 4 Mar 41  
Charles Campbell 12 Apr 42

## ASSISTANT SURGEONS.

Henry L. Porter 2 Nov 41  
Amos Henriques 3 ———

Alexander Fiddes 13 Mar 42

## QUARTERMASTERS.

T. M. Clark 28 Sept 25  
Moses Sarfaty 21 Sept 35  
Thomas Turabull 3 Oct 41

## PORT-ROYAL.

Colonel, James Williams 20 Aug 40

Lieut.-Col. Wm. G. Lowe 43

Major, Edward Lucas 3 Dec 45

## CAPTAINS.

J. T. Brooks 3 Sept 35

James Gilbert 10 June 40

Daniel Jacobs 12 ———

Robert Storey 16 May 41

John M'Neir ———

## LIEUTENANTS.

Peter J. Ferron 15 June 40

Richard Savage 16 ———

John F. M'Laverty 7 Dec —

Benjamin M'Gill 6 ———

John T. S. Depass 24 ———

## ENSIGNS.

Thomas Davidson 9 Dec 40

Thomas Wilson 10 Sept 41

Solomon L. Barked ———

Samuel J. Dallas ———

Adj't. Michael French 24 Oct 37

Chaplain, Rev. C. F. Hall ———

Quarterm. J. Huxtable 16 Nov 25

Surg. W. Thompson 1 Jan 42

## ST. ANDREW.

Colonel, Wm. Robertson 6 Sept 55

Lieut.-Col.\* ———

## MAJORS.

Thomas Lundie 14 Feb 33

James Marshall ———

## CAPTAINS.

Charles M. Jopp 3 Sept 33

Donald Sutherland 28 Oct 34

John W. Harris 12 Mar 37

Robert Gray 15 Feb 38

Peter B. Lundie 16 ———

Joseph Kerr 8 Dec 41

Charles Hicks 16 ———

Francis Harris ———

John Stevens ———

James Lunan ———

## LIEUTENANTS.

John M. Copeland	20 Mar 37
John Shaw	3 Apr 41
John H. Hall	4 — —
John R. Brice	6 — —
Thomas N. Jones	1 Jan 42
G. W. Gordon	2 — —
Francis Z. Kunt	3 Feb —
Frederick Hawkins	1 Mar —
D. B. Campbell	
George H. Chevannes	
Edward Jordon	

## ENSIGNS.

M. Cole	26 Feb 38
Alexander Jopp	9 Mar —
Stephen W. Mais, <i>Adt.</i>	23 Dec —
A. C. Chevolleau	25 — —
Joseph Smith	28 — —
T. A. Geoghegan	29 — —
L. Chisholm	4 Jan 42
G. Fraser	22 — —
John M <sup>c</sup> P. M <sup>c</sup> Neil	
<i>Quarterm.</i> Robert Hancock	20 Apr 42
<i>Assist. Surg.</i> C. Campbell	14 Apr 15
— — — — — A. Gray	19 Jan 34
<i>Dep. Judge Adv.</i> Alexander	
W. Aikman	15 Sept 31

ST. THOMAS IN THE EAST  
AND ST. DAVID.

*Colonel*, George Codrington  
20 Feb 40

## LIEUTENANT-COLONELS.

George A. Turner	18 Aug 37
James M <sup>c</sup> William	23 July 41

## MAJORS.

J. Forsyth	25 July 41
Charles Nockells	9 Aug 43

## CAPTAINS.

Michael M <sup>c</sup> Ternan	5 Nov 34
Adam G. Gordon	June 38
George J. M <sup>c</sup> Queen	1 May 40
William Humphreys	23 Jan 41
Thomas Scott	25 July —
J. Wilson	27 — —
John Henry	9 Apr —
Duncan M <sup>c</sup> Pherson	5 Apr 42
George Harris	1 Sept —
James Blount	
William Paterson	10 Aug 43

## LIEUTENANTS.

James Patterson	1 Apr 37
Henry Needham	22 May —
Robert Tasker	23 — —
Edward S. Fraser	15 Aug —
George Silvera	11 Nov —
Edward B. Thomas	28 May 38
Joseph Duncan	1 Apr 39
William M <sup>c</sup> Kay	
James M <sup>c</sup> Ken	
Andrew G. Bryant	11 Aug 43

## ENSIGNS.

John M <sup>c</sup> Pherson	15 Aug 39
Andrew Jeffrey	28 July —
James Duffus	2 Nov 40
Charles P. Lord	3 May 41
Charles Wright	14 Aug —
William H. Harnett	21 — —
James Lundy	22 — —
G. B. Snaith	14 Apr 42
W. H. Marah	20 — —
Charles P. Trench	12 Sept —
William P. Cole	8 Oct —
<i>Quarterm.</i> G. Reeves	29 July 26
<i>Surgeon</i> , J. G. Devaney, M.D.	4 Sept 34
<i>Assist. Surg.</i> Wm. H. Moore	
— — — — —	1 Mar 35
<i>Ditto ditto</i> , W. Bell	2 Mar 38
<i>Dep. Judge Adv.</i> R. G. Marshall	20 Apr 36

## PORTLAND.

*Colonel*, John R. Jones 2 Mar 42  
*Lieut.-Col.* A. G. Johnstone

<i>Major</i> , Wm <sup>c</sup> Croft	7 Apr 42
— — — — —	8 — —

## CAPTAINS.

John G. Deans	28 July 38
J. J. Gladwic	18 Dec 40
Thomas M <sup>c</sup> Morine	1 Mar 41
Robert Mein	9 May 42

## LIEUTENANTS.

W. J. Coy	28 July 38
John Levay	20 Mar —
Samuel R. Jackson	6 July 41
Charles Anderson	14 Apr 42
B. B. Chance	15 — —
Alexander Anderson	12 May —
Charles Thompson	13 — —

## ENSIGNS.

Wm. B. Lawrence, <i>Adjt.</i>	1 Sept 38
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Richard King 7 Apr 42  
 John Conran 9 — —  
*Quarterm.* John Jonson 26 Oct 27  
*Surgeon,* John J. Henderson, M.D.  
*Assist. ditto,* James C. Orgill  
 15 Mar 38  
*Dep. Judge Adv.* Alex. Brymer  
 15 Mar 38

## ST. GEORGE.

*Colonel,* John King 25 Nov 42  
*Lieut.-Col.* Wm. Hosack 2 July 43  
*Major,\**

## CAPTAINS.

Henry Mason 24 Oct 41  
 John M'Lean 5 July 43  
 John L. James 20 — —

## LIEUTENANTS.

John Gray 25 May 36  
 Horatio Guscot 10 Aug 38  
 Daniel Fogarty 25 Oct 41

## ENSIGNS.

H. J. Stevenson 26 — —  
 Henry Brough 25 May 42  
 J. G. Gordon 28 — —  
*C. plain,* Rev. Walter H. Lindsay  
*Quarterm.* Edw. Skyers 26 Oct 41  
*Assist. ditto,* C. F. Rapkey  
 2 Apr 35  
*Dep. Judge Adv.* Robt. Dunbar  
 1 Oct 32

## METCALFE.

*Colonel,* George Scotland  
 15 July 43  
*Lieut.-Col.* Richard C. Bourke  
 20 Mar 45  
*Major,* John G. Wick  
 17 Apr 45

## CAPTAINS.

George A. Shaw 7 July 43  
 William J. Espeut 8 — —  
 John Marston 10 — —

## LIEUTENANTS.

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## ENSIGNS.

George M. Scotland 1 Feb 44  
 James Prestwidge 23 Sep 45

William Bell 24 Sept 45  
*Adjutant,\**  
*Chaplain,* Rev. Richard Forbes  
*Quarterm.* Robt. Faichney  
 25 Sept —  
*Surgeon,\**  
*Dep. Judge Adv.\**

## CORNWALL.

## ST. ELIZABETH.

*Colonel,* Michael Muirhead  
 2 Mar 42

## LIEUTENANT-COLONELS.

Theodore Stone 8 Feb 38  
 Robert Daniel 3 Mar 42

## MAJORS.

Wm. Adlam O'Hallaron 41  
 Thomas Mason 26 Nov 42

## CAPTAINS.

Henry Phillips 24 Jan 35  
 Alexander Thompson 4 July 39  
 Church Calderwood 5 — —  
 James Hall 6 — —  
 J. B. Wells 22 May 42  
 Thomas Wheattle — — —

O. B. Rowe  
 George Daly  
 John Blake  
 Wm. Annand

## LIEUTENANTS.

C. F. Cooper 3 Nov 32  
 William Robertson 7 Jan 34  
 D. M'Taggart 5 Jan 37  
 James Mullings 4 Feb —  
 Robert Smith 16 — —  
 John James 18 — —  
 S. R. Massie 16 Feb 38  
 John Allan 9 July 39  
 Charles Lediard  
 John Wiggan 21 Apr 42  
 C. M. Farquharson May —  
 Francis Maxwell — — —  
 R. W. Smith 18 — —  
 Frederick Hendricks — — —  
 William Henry — — —  
 Donald M'Bean 1 June —  
 John Cuff, *Adjt.* July —  
 Samuel R. Rickets  
 Thomas Doran  
 Edward Morris 1 Dec —

INSIGNS.

Thomas H. Heath 8 Feb 37  
 Samuel Hart May 42  
 Nicholas Heath — —  
 E. R. Tavares — —  
 John Calder  
 George Deverill  
 Arthur Beswick  
 William H. Cook  
*Chaplain*, Rev. T. P. Williams  
*Quarterm.* Samuel Sherman  
*Surgeon*, Alexander Dewar  
*Assist. Surg.* A. W. Maitland  
*Dep. Judge Adv.* D. Cooper

WESTMORLAND.

Colonel, William Williams  
 5 Nov 41

LIEUTENANT-COLONELS.

Charles Braine 20 Nov —  
 Robert Locke 19 — —

MAJORS.

Thomas Tait  
 Thomas M'Neil  
 William King 2 June 43

ARTILLERY.

*Capt.* John Mogg  
*Lieut.* A. H. Quallo 26 Apr 38  
*Lieut.* Saml. M. Bernard  
 20 May 43

CAPTAINS.

James W. Fraser 4 July 37  
 John R. Brown 18 Apr —  
 Wm. M. Walcott 3 July —  
 Walter Comrie 6 — —  
 Anthony Rerrie 7 Apr —  
 George Cunningham  
 Benjamin Vickers  
 Aaron Deleon, jun.  
 John Deleon 7 Sept 43

LIEUTENANTS.

William Samuels 2 Feb 41  
 John Hewett 9 Jan 42  
 John Rankine 11 — —  
 A. M. Touzalin 8 Apr —

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Charles Patterson 1 Sept 42  
 William Murdock  
 John Dick  
 Arch. Moore  
 William Johns  
 Thomas Abbott 4 June 43  
 David Tavares 26 — —  
 Peter Esson 2 Sept —  
 Richard Pessoa 29 Dec 44  
 James L. Williams 20 Feb 45

ENSIGNS.

W. J. Chambers 1 June 40  
 William Fenton 1 Sept 41

Edward Forrest  
 W. J. Jennings  
 A. W. Hartnell  
 G. W. Cocker  
 Samuel Bernard, *Adj.*  
 John M'Kenzie 26 July 43  
 Charles Braine 2 Sept —  
 S. T. Buckingham 4 — —  
 Jacob Segre 5 — —  
 Anthony Munro 22 — —  
 Michael G. Constantine  
 24 Dec 44  
 David King 21 Feb 45  
*Quarterm.* John Campbell  
 10 June 40

Charles Tomlinson  
*Surgeon*, R. H. Harvey 5 July 32  
*Assist. ditto*, Simon Macdonald  
 3 July 35  
*Ditto ditto*, J. D. Tullis 3 July 35  
*Ditto ditto*, Charles M'Nish  
 12 Nov 45  
*Dep. Judge Adv.* G. W. Gow  
 27 Oct. 43

HANOVER.

Colonel, Richard Chambers  
 7 Apr 42

LIEUTENANT-COLONELS.

James Deans 42  
 Alexander Grant 29 Oct 45

MAJORS.

Henry E. Walcot 1 Apr 42  
 Wm. E. Mowatt 30 Oct 45

## CAPTAINS.

George Johnson	2 Dec 36
T. B. Allwood	
William Hutton	29 Dec 38
Isaac Jackson	2 Apr 41
F. H. Thompson	3 — — —
Thomas Irving	18 Apr 42
Jacob Lyon	19 — — —
Wm. H. Cooke	1 May —
Andrew Wauchope	11 July 43
William Boyd	18 — — —
Edward R. Huie	20 — — —
Daniel Sinclair	9 Sept —
Henry Brocket, <i>Adj.</i>	5 July —

## LIEUTENANTS.

James Scott	
E. H. Clare	18 Mar 35
Alexander Malcolm	18 May 38
Edward R. Hine	29 — — —
G. W. Park, <i>en sec.</i>	
W. C. Chambers	18 July 43
Peter Campbell	19 — — —
Robert Webster	20 — — —
George Malcolm	21 — — —
E. C. Chambers	22 — — —
M. F. Lemasney	9 Sept —
John Chambers	22 May 44
George T. Greaves	31 — — —
William Whitmore	16 Nov —
James Ramsay	19 — — —
Daniel D. Hine	21 Nov 44
Joshua Hayward	4 Nov 45

## ENSIGNS.

S. L. H. Binns	11 Apr 36
John Campbell, <i>en sec.</i>	
James Wilson	26 May 44
Wm. Brown Dixon	27 — — —
Henry Lyon	— — — —
Abraham H. Qualo	28 — — —
James H. Caseley	29 — — —
James Jenkins	14 Nov —
Duncan Dewar	15 — — —
<i>Surgeon</i> , J. Davidson	11 Sept 33
<i>Assist. ditto</i> , W. Brebner	11 Apr 36
<i>Ditto ditto</i> , John D. Potts	
<i>Dep. Judge Adv.</i> J. K. Binns	23 Nov 26

## TRELAWNY.

Col. Robert Chrystie 15 Sept 42  
*Lieut.-Col.* Joseph Hodgson  
 5 Apr 42

## MAJORS.

William Dexter 10 Apr 42  
 W. Seivwright 1 Oct —

## CAPTAINS.

William Robb 6 Nov 29  
 Thomas P. Kidd 8 Nov 34  
 John R. Kitchen 30 Nov 36  
 George Harman 24 June 37  
 Robert Pitcher — — — —  
 Thomas Morrish 2 June 38  
 William Bodden 1 Feb 40  
 Charles E. Fry, *Art.* 13 Apr —  
 Joseph Bridge 22 July —  
 Archibald Scott 18 Sept —  
 James M'Lachlan

## LIEUTENANTS.

Benjamin Harris, *Art.* 5 Feb 38  
 Samuel T. Scharsmidt 8 Mar 40  
 John R. Macdonald  
 James Murray 11 June 41  
 Thomas Kelman 12 — — —  
 William Hamilton — — — —  
 W. A. Hamilton 13 — — —  
 Richard Hewan — — — —  
 James Innes 15 — — —  
 William Sewell 16 — — —  
 Fred. L. Castle, *Adj.* 18 — — —  
 Frederick Coore 20 — — —  
 P. Abrahams 21 — — —  
 H. Lewis, *Art.* 2 Dec —  
 Paul King 1 May 42  
 Hyde Clark 14 July —  
 Stewart Edwards 25 — — —  
 Hugh Stewart 27 — — —  
 C. W. Ricketts, *Art.* 19 Sept —  
 John Wm. Pierce 10 Nov —  
 Charles W. Atkins — — — —  
 Arthur Bucknell  
 Jarvis Minto

## ENSIGNS.

Ellis Fray 18 Jan 42  
 George Lyon 19 — — —  
 Robert M. Wilson 20 — — —  
 Montague Salmon 16 Apr —



Joseph Roberts	28 July 42	R. W. Buchanan	4 Dec 41
John Peryer	29 ———	George L. Phillips	7 ———
John F. Lync	30 ———	Plummer Dewar	8 ———
James Nathan	31 ———	Grant Baillie	9 ———
William Bernard	19 Sept —	Edward Foster	10 ———
Quarterm. E. Anderson	3 Dec —	Asber Solomon	11 ———
Surgeon, Alex. C. Stevens	1 Dec 41	Horatio Corinaldi	4 Jan 42
		G. R. Ruthven	11 Feb —
Ditto, Geo. M'Cartney	1 July 42	John Arguimbeau	27 Oct —
Ditto, W. Dalrymple	Sept —	Octavus Lawson	28 ———
Assist. ditto, H. Jacobs	25 May 35	William Anderson	30 ———
Dep. Judge Adv. Wm. Holder	2 May 42	S. G. Corinaldi	1 Nov —
		William O. Dunbar	2 ———
		Richard Turnbull	3 ———
		Edward Fray	27 June 43
		William Murray	6 Oct —
		William Symonds	22 May —
		Wm. Jennings	
		Lawrence Hill	10 Sept 45
		Ralph Brown	11 ———
		Chas. Wm. Masters	12 ———

ST. JAMES.

Colonel,\*

LIEUTENANT-COLONELS.

Joseph Bowen	13 Sept 38
John Simpson Waite	1 Apr 41

MAJORS.

George C. Rickets	31 July 41
Thomas Watson	6 Oct 43

CAPTAINS.

James Gray	11 Nov 37
Henry A. Plummer	13 Sept 38
William Plummer	2 Dec 39
James Gordon	5 Dec 40
George Cragg	3 Apr 41
William Clarke	2 Nov —
Joseph Fray	4 Nov —
Charles W. Ogle	3 Dec —
Barnett Isaacs	16 May 43
Joseph G. Jump	27 June —
William Boyd	7 Oct —
R. Y. Scott	30 Oct 45

LIEUTENANTS.

William C. Morris	1 Jan 41
Edward M. Lawson, Adj.	22 Apr —
Robert Dewar	24 ———

ENSIGNS.	
Alexander Imlah	21 Nov 42
Thomas Reynolds	4 June 43
Francis Blakely	5 ———
Edward C. Morris	6 ———
Samuel Kerr	28 ———
Dewar I., M'Laren	
John R. B. Bowen	9 Sept 45
Findlater Roper	10 ———
John T. Vaughan	11 ———
G. R. Braine	14 ———
Richard Chambers	15 ———
Quarterm. J. P. Corinaldi	
Surgeon, Geo. M. Lawson, jun.	1 Jan 43
Assist. ditto, J. E. Chambers	— ———
Assist. ditto, Alex. Munro	2 ———
Dep. Judge Adv. J. A. L. Mouchett	4 Aug 37

## ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES OF THE PACKETS.

The ROYAL MAIL STEAM SHIPS are due at Jamaica with the Mails for England, as follows:—

Due—at noon.				Sails—at noon.	
January		15th	31st	January	8th 23d
February		15th		February	8th 23d
March	3d	18th	31st	March	11th 24th
April		15th		April	8th 23d
May	1st	16th	31st	May	9th 24th
June		15th		June	8th 23d
July	1st	16th	31st	July	9th 24th
August		15th	31st	August	8th 23d
September		15th		September	8th 23d
October	1st	16th	31st	October	9th 24th
November		15th		November	8th 23d
December		15th	31st	December	9th 24th

The Steamer sailing on the 8th or 9th calls at Jacmel, Porto-Rico, St. Thomas and Bermuda, transfer passengers, &c. for England to another Steamer, then proceeds to Nassau, Havana, and Jamaica, where she will arrive about the 3d prox. The Steamer sailing on the 23d or 24th, calls at Jacmel, Porto-Rico, and St. Thomas—receives Mails and Passengers from the Windward Islands, and proceeds direct to England, calling at Fayal if necessary.

The Steamers are due in England on the 6th or 7th, 21st or 22d.

The Mails leave Southampton for the West-Indies at 2 p.m. on the 2d and 17th of each month, except when the 2d falls on a Sunday; then at 2 p.m. on the 1st; and when the 17th falls on a Sunday, then at 2 p.m. on the 18th.

The Mails are made up in London on the morning of the sailing of the Packet. Parcels, Packages, &c. &c. should be at the Company's Office, Moorgate-street, London, early on the day previous to the Packet sailing, to ensure their being forwarded.

The Steamer due here with the English Mails on the 31st or 1st of the month, sails for Havana, Mexico, Nassau, and Belize, at noon, on the 2d or 3d.

The Steamer due here on the 15th or 16th with the English Mails, sails at 4 p.m. on the same day for Santa Martha, Carthagena, Chagres, and San Juan Nicaragua, and returns to Jamaica in the evening of the 15th day.

The Steamer for St. Jago de Cuba will sail in a few hours after the Mails are due here, in the beginning and middle of the month.

Passengers from the Pacific and the Spanish Main for England can remain either in the Steamer that they embark on board of, or proceed from Jamaica by the Havana Steamer, where they will meet, or be transferred to, the return Mexican ship for England, calling at Bermuda, where she receives Mails and Passengers from the Steamer they originally embarked on board of at Chagres, &c.

Passengers from Jamaica to England can proceed in the Steamer by Havanna and Bermuda, by paying Guineas instead of Pounds.

## Arrivals and Departures of Packets. 137

Goods in small quantities will be received at this Office for conveyance by the Steamers to Santa Martha, Carthagena, Chagres, and San Juan Nicaragua, up to the 13th of each month—Freight to be prepaid.

Goods will also be taken from the above-mentioned places to Kingston, St. Thomas, Grenada, Barbadoes, Trinidad, or Demerara, and Southampton—the latter subject to be landed here for shipment on the direct Steamer of the 23d of the month.

Shipments of Specie can be consigned from the above-named places to Jamaica or England, paying one freight only, viz.—that to which it is delivered at, but it must not be taken out of the Captain's charge at the intermediate place.

ROBERT CURRIE, Supt.

### EXTRACTS FROM THE STAMP DUTIES.

9 Vic. cap. —, 1845.

#### BILLS OF EXCHANGE.

##### Foreign Bills:—

For £50 and not exceeding £100	...	...	0	0	6
Exceeding £100 and not exceeding £200	...	...	0	1	0
— 200 — 500	...	...	0	1	6
— 500 — 1000	...	...	0	3	0
— 1000 — 2000	...	...	0	6	0
— 2000 — 3000	...	...	0	10	0

And when it shall exceed £3000

... 1 0 0

Drawn in sets according to the custom of merchants.

Inland Bills, Drafts, or Orders payable to bearer or order on demand, or otherwise:—

For £30 and not exceeding £50	...	...	0	0	6
Exceeding £50 and not exceeding £100	...	...	0	1	0
— 100 — 200	...	...	0	1	6
— 200 — 300	...	...	0	2	6
— 300 — 400	...	...	0	3	0
— 400 — 500	...	...	0	4	0
— 500 — 1000	...	...	0	5	0
— 1000 — 2000	...	...	0	10	0
— 2000 — 3000	...	...	1	0	0

And where it shall exceed £3000

... 1 10 0

#### BILLS OF LADING.

On each set of three, or Receipt for Goods, Wares, or Merchandise to be exported

... 0 1 6

## List of Stamps.

## MONEY BONDS.

For 3s. and not exceeding £50	...	0	1	6
Exceeding £50 and not exceeding £100	...	0	2	0
— 100 — 200	...	0	5	0
— 200 — 300	...	0	7	0
— 300 — 500	...	0	10	0
— 500 — 1000	...	0	12	0
— 1000 — 2000	...	0	15	6
— 2000 — 3000	...	0	17	6
— 3000 — 4000	...	1	0	0
— 4000 — 5000	...	1	5	0
And for all sums exceeding £5000	...	1	10	6
On every Charter Party	...	1	5	0
On Articles of Copartnership, or other agreement to that effect	...	0	12	0
Every Letter of Marque	...	20	0	0
Licence to land or sell cargo of foreign vessel	...	5	0	0

## CONVEYANCE.

If consideration shall not amount to £50	...	0	5	0
Amount to £50 and not to £100	...	0	10	0
— 100 — 200	...	1	10	0
— 200 — 300	...	2	0	0
— 300 — 400	...	2	10	0
— 400 — 500	...	3	0	0
— 500 — 600	...	3	10	0
— 600 — 700	...	4	0	0
— 700 — 800	...	4	10	0
— 800 — 900	...	5	0	0
— 900 — 1000	...	5	10	0
— 1000 — 1500	...	7	15	0
— 1500 — 2000	...	10	0	0
— 2000 — 2500	...	12	10	0
— 2500 — 3000	...	15	0	0
— 3000 — 3500	...	17	10	0
— 3500 — 4000	...	20	0	0
— 4000 — 4500	...	22	10	0
— 4500 — 5000	...	25	0	0
— 5000 — 5500	...	27	10	0
— 5500 — 6000	...	30	0	0
— 6000 — 6500	...	32	10	0
— 6500 — 7000	...	35	0	0
— 7000 — 7500	...	37	10	0
— 7500 — 8000	...	40	0	0
— 8000 — 8500	...	42	10	0
— 8500 — 9000	...	45	0	0
— 9000 — 10,000	...	47	10	0

And where the same amount to £10,000 ... 50 0 0

And for every additional £100, and any fractional part thereof, 10s.

**NOTE.**—The purchase or consideration money is to be truly expressed and set forth in words at length in or upon every such principal or only deed or instrument of conveyance.

**LEGACIES.**

Amount to £50 and under £100	...	2 0 0
— 100 — 200	...	3 0 0
— 200 — 300	...	4 0 0
— 300 — 400	...	6 0 0
— 400 — 500	...	8 0 0
— 500 — 600	...	10 0 0
— 600 — 700	...	12 0 0
— 700 — 800	...	14 0 0
— 800 — 900	...	16 0 0
— 900 — 1000	...	18 0 0

And for every additional £100, the further sum of two pounds.

**LEASES.**

Where yearly rent do not amount to £100	...	0 10 0
Amount to £100 and not to £200	...	0 15 0
— 200 — 300	...	1 0 0
— 300 — 500	...	1 10 0
— 500 — 1000	...	2 0 0

And where the same shall amount to £1000 or upwards, three pounds.

**MORTGAGES.**

Not exceeding £100	...	0 10 0
Exceeding £100 and not £200	...	0 15 0
— 200 — 300	...	1 0 0
— 300 — 400	...	1 5 0
— 400 — 500	...	1 10 0
— 500 — 600	...	1 15 0
— 600 — 700	...	2 0 0
— 700 — 800	...	2 5 0
— 800 — 900	...	2 10 0
— 900 — 1000	...	2 15 0
— 1000 — 1500	...	4 0 0
— 1500 — 2000	...	5 5 0
— 2000 — 2500	...	6 10 0
— 2500 — 3000	...	7 5 0
— 3000 — 3500	...	9 0 0
— 3500 — 4000	...	10 5 0

*List of Stamps.*

--	4000	--	4500	...	11	10	0
--	4500	--	5000	...	12	15	0
	Above 5000		...	...	15	0	0

**POLICES OF ASSURANCE OR INSURANCE.**

On any Building, Plantation, Goods, Wares, Merchandise, or other property, from loss or damage by Fire only							
—Sum insured not to amount to £500				...	1	0	0
£500, and not to £1000				...	1	10	0
1000 — 2000				...	2	0	0
2000 — 5000				...	3	0	0
5000 or upwards				...	5	0	0
On Vessel and Cargo—Not exceeding £200							
Exceeding £200, and not exceeding £500				...	0	3	0
Exceeding £500, every additional £500, with its practical part				...	0	5	0
On Lives—For £1000				...	0	2	6
Exceeding £1000, every additional, with its fractional part				...	1	0	0
				...	0	5	0

**PROMISSORY NOTES.**

To bearer on demand, not exceeding £1				...	0	0	3
Exceeding £1, and not exceeding £2				...	0	0	6
— 2 — 5				...	0	1	0
— 5 — 10				...	0	1	6
— 10 — 20				...	0	2	6
— 20 — 30				...	0	3	0
— 30 — 50				...	0	4	0
— 50 — 100				...	0	8	0
To bearer, or to order, at any time after date or sight, for any principal sum of £30, and not exceeding £50							
Exceeding £50, and not exceeding £100				...	0	0	6
— £100 — £200				...	0	1	0
— 200 — 500				...	0	1	6
— 500 — 1000				...	0	3	0
— 1000 — 2000				...	0	5	0
Exceeding 2000				...	0	10	0
				...	1	0	0

**RECEIPTS, OR DISCHARGE FOR PAYMENT OF MONEY**

Amounting to £20 and not to £50				...	0	0	3
— 50 — 300				...	0	0	6
— 300 — 500				...	0	1	0
— 500 — 1000				...	0	1	6
— 1000 — 2000				...	0	2	6
— 2000 — 5000				...	0	5	0
All sums above £5000				...	0	10	0
Acknowledgment in full of demands				...	0	3	0

## POWERS OF ATTORNEY.

For the recovery of Debts or sale of Property	...	...	1	0	0
For managing Properties	...	...	3	0	0
For managing Premises	...	...	1	0	0
To acknowledge payment and satisfaction of a mortgage demand	...	...	0	3	0
On every other letter not herein charged with a stamp duty, or exempted from all stamp duty, and upon every substitution under a power of attorney	...	...	1	0	0

## LICENCES.

To retail Fire-Arms	...	...	...	3	0	0
Hawkers and Pedlars	...	...	...	1	0	0
Selling Spirits	...	...	...	1	5	0
Selling Gunpowder	...	...	...	1	5	0

## SCHEDULE OF DUTIES UNDER THE IMPORT ACT.

9 Vic. cap. —

	Duties under Island Acts			Duties under British stat.
	£.	s.	d.	
Ale, beer, cider, porter, or perry, per ton	4	7	0	£ 4 per cent.
Asses, per head	0	10	0	Free
Beef and Pork, salted or cured, and all cured meats, foreign, per barrel	0	15	0	3s. per cwt.
Beef and Pork, produce of united kingdom, or any British possessions, per barrel	0	15	0	Free
Bread or biscuit, per cwt.	0	4	0	Free
Bricks, per 1000	0	4	0	4 per cent.
Butter, per firkin of 66lbs.	0	4	0	8s. per cwt.
Candles, wax, sperm, or composition, per box of 56lbs.	0	3	6	15 per cent.
Ditto, tallow, per box of 56lbs.	0	1	6	7 per cent.
Cattie, (neat) per head	1	4	0	Free
Cheese, per cwt.	0	5	0	5s. per cwt.
Coals, on every ton (those for the Royal Mail Company excepted)	0	0	6	4 per cent.
Cocoa, in a British ship, for every £100 value	4	0	0	} 1s. per cwt
And further for every 100lbs. weight	0	9	0	
Ditto, and further, for every 100lb. weight	4	0	0	} 1s. per cwt
In a foreign ship, for every £100lb. weight	0	12	0	
Coffee, the produce of and imported from any British possessions, per cwt.	1	0	0	Free

Drugs, for every £100 value	- -	4 0 0	Free
Fish, dried or salted, per cwt.	-	0 2 0	2s. per cwt.
Ditto, pickled, per barrel	-	0 4 0	4s. per brl.
Ditto, Salmon, wet or salted per barrel	-	0 8 0	4s. per brl.
Ditto, Salmon, smoked per cwt.	-	0 10 0	2s. per cwt.
Ditto, Herrings smoked, per box	-	0 0 6	2s. per cwt.
Flour, wheat, per barrel	-	0 4 0	2s. per brl.
Ditto, not wheat, per barrel	-	0 3 0	Free
Ginger, for every £100 value	-	4 0 0	}
And further, for every 100lbs.	-	0 9 0	}
Hams, bacon, dried beef, dried tongues, and Sausages, per cwt	-	0 8 0	3s. per cwt.
Horses, Mares, and geldings, per head	-	2 0 0	Free
Indigo, for every £100 value	-	4 0 0	}
And further, for every pound weight	-	0 0 3	}
Lard, per firkin of 60lbs.	-	0 3 0	4 per cent.
Meal, or other Flour, not wheat, foreign, per barrel	-	0 3 0	Free
Ditto, or other flour, production of the United Kingdom, or any British pos- session, per barrel	-	0 0 6	Free
Molasses, the produce of, and imported from any British possession, per cwt.	-	0 3 0	Free
Mules, per head	-	1 10 0	Free
Oil, blubber, fins, and skins, the produce of fish and creatures living in the sea. of foreign fishing, for every £100 value	-	4 0 0	15 per cent
Ditto, living in the sea of British fishing for every £100 value	-	4 0 0	Free
Peas, beans, calavances, barley, oats, rye, or Indian corn, per bushel	-	0 0 3	Free
Rice, per cwt.	-	0 4 0	Free
Ditto, undressed, per bushel	-	0 1 0	-
Salt, per cwt.	-	0 0 9	Free
Sheep and Goats, per head	-	0 2 0	Free
Soap, per box of 56lbs	-	0 2 0	7 per cent
Spirits—brandy, and all other foreign spirits and cordials, except rum, per gallon	-	0 7 0	1s. per gallon
Spirits—rum, the produce of any British possession, per gallon	-	0 9 0	Free
Ditto, British spirits and compounds	-	0 3 0	Free
Sugar, unrefined, produce of, and im- ported from any British possession, per cwt.	-	0 10 0	Free
Ditto, refined, the produce of, and refined in, foreign countries, per lb.	-	0 0 4	20 per cent.
Ditto, refined from foreign Sugar in bond, in the United Kingdom, per lb.	-	0 0 4	10 per cent.
Ditto, refined, from British plantation Sugar, per lb.	-	0 0 4	Free
Swine per head	-	0 4 0	Free
Tea, unless imported direct from China, or from the united kingdom, or any British possession, per lb.	-	0 2 0	1d. per lb.
Ditto, imported direct from China, or	-		



# *Schedule of Duties.*

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from the United Kingdom, or any British possession, per lb.	0	2	0	Free
Tobacco, manufactured, for every £100 value	25	0	0	} 7 per cent.
And further, for every pound weight	0	0	3	
Ditto, unmanufactured, for every £100 value	20	0	0	} 4 per cent.
And further, for every pound weight	0	0	3	
Wines, whether in bulk or bottled, per ton	14	10	0	7 per cent.
And further, for every dozen quart bottles of Wine	0	2	6	
Wood, for every 1000 feet of Pitchpine Lumber, by superficial measure of 1 inch thick	0	12	0	Free
Ditto, for every 1000 feet of Whitepine or other Lumber, per superficial measure, 1 inch thick	0	8	0	Free
Ditto, Shingles, Cypress, more than 12 inches in length, per 1000	0	8	0	Free
Ditto, Cedar and Boston Chips, per 1000	0	4	0	Free
Ditto, Woodhoops, per 1000	0	1	0	Free
Ditto, Staves & Heading, Red or White Oak, per 1000	0	2	0	Free
Wheat, per bushel	0	0	6	Free
And after those rates for any greater or less quantity of such goods respectively.				
Glass Manufactures—Silk Manufactures—				
—for every £100 value	4	0	0	15 per cent.
Cotton, Linen, Woollen, Leather, Paper Manufactures, Hardware, Clocks and Watches, Corks, Cordage, and Oakum,				
—for every £100 value	4	0	0	7 per cent.
On all Goods, Wares, and Merchandize, Plantation Supplies, Clothing and effects of every description, not previously enumerated, for every £100 value	4	0	0	4 per cent.
Except the following which shall not be liable to any duty under this act, viz. Coin, Bullion, Diamonds, Fruit, and Vegetables, fresh Hay and Straw, Mulberry and other Plants, Cotton, Wool, Ice, Fresh Fish, Turtle, Poultry, Fresh Meats, Leeches, Gums, Resins, Tortoiseshell, Guano, and other Man e, Singing Birds, Dogs, Specimens of Natural History, and Printed Books and papers	Free			Free
Raw Hides, Tallow, Hemp, Flax, and Tow, for every £100 value				Free

## RATES OF WHARFAGE.

7 Vic. cap. 57, 1844.

*Kingston, Port Royal, St. David's St. Thomas in the East, Portland's St. George's, Metcalfe, St. Catherine's, St. Dorothy's, Vere, Manchester, Clarendon.*

	£.	s.	d.
Bales, bundles, boxes, cases, chests, and trunks, not exceeding eight feet, except as hereinafter specified, per cubic foot	0	0	4½
Above eight feet	0	0	3
Bolts of canvass, oznaburg, and crocus, loose, each	0	0	3
Cordage per one hundred and twelve pounds	0	0	7½
Mahogany, cedar, and other hard timber, per one thousand feet	0	12	0
Nicaragua and cam wood, per ton	0	10	0
Logwood, fustic, lignumvitæ, ebony, and other dye, and hardwoods, per ton	0	7	6
American scantling, plank, boards, staves, and heading, per one thousand	0	9	0
Shingles packed, two shillings; loose, per one thousand, three shillings.			
Oars and handspikes, per dozen	0	1	6
Vats and butts of malt liquor, &c. per 100 gallons	0	3	0
Butts of wine and spirits	0	6	0
Pipes of wine, brandy, and gin	0	4	6
Hogshead of sugar	0	3	0
Tierces of sugar	0	2	0
Barrels of sugar	0	0	9
Puncheons of rum	0	2	0
Hogsheads of salt, lime, coals, and slates, each	0	3	0
Hogsheads of salt fish	0	3	0
Hogsheads tobacco, per one hundred and twelve pounds	0	0	4½
Hogsheads of oats, earthen and glass ware, and others of a similar description, each	0	2	3
Hogsheads of porter, beer, and cyder, each	0	1	6
Tierces of coffee	0	2	0
Puncheons of hams, &c.	0	2	0
Tierces of ginger, pimento, rice, cornmeal, bottled liquor, earthen and glass ware, &c. each	0	1	6
Barrels of flour, and other dry provisions, each	0	0	6
Barrels of tar, pitch, turpentine, wet provisions, sugar, salt, coffee, pimento, or others of a similar description, each	0	0	9
Drips and pots for sugar refiners, two for	0	0	4½
Grind stones and tomb stones, per 112 pounds	0	0	9
Shooks, empty hogsheads, or puncheons, each	0	0	6
Wood hoops, per one thousand	0	0	6

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Ox bows, per dozen	-	-	-	0	0	6
Hides	-	-	-	0	0	3
Bags of all descriptions, per 112 pounds	-	-	-	0	0	9
Puncheons of temper lime	-	-	-	0	2	3
Corn salt, &c. per bushel, one penny half-penny; if stored, per bushel, three pence.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Coach or chariot, including wheels, each	-	-	-	1	10	0
Chaise, or cart, each	-	-	-	0	12	0
Chairs tables, jointers, piano-forte, desks, side-boards, &c. per cubic foot	-	-	-	0	0	6
Ploughs, each, and harrows	-	-	-	0	3	0
Hams, cheese, loaf sugar (loose) each	-	-	-	0	0	1
Triangles, each	-	-	-	0	3	0
Jack screws, each	-	-	-	0	1	6
Chests of tea	-	-	-	0	0	9
Crates of earthen and glass ware, one shilling and six pence; three shillings; and four shillings and six pence.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hampers and baskets of cheese and potatoes, per one hundred and twelve pounds	-	-	-	0	0	9
Jugs and jars of all descriptions, per gallon	-	-	-	0	0	1 $\frac{1}{2}$
Firkins of butter, beef, tongues, herrings, &c. each	-	-	-	0	0	4 $\frac{1}{2}$
Kegs of paint, at the rate of fifty-six pounds for	-	-	-	0	0	3
Kegs of vinegar, pease, gruts, biscuits, currants, &c. each	-	-	-	0	0	3
Boxes of soap and candles, per 112 pounds	-	-	-	0	0	9
Boxes of pickles, British compounds, and preserves, from three pence to	-	-	-	0	1	6
Iron ware, also pewter, copper, lead, tin, and brass of all description, per one hundred and twelve pounds	-	-	-	0	0	6
Bricks, tiles, and slates, per one thousand	-	-	-	0	9	0
Paving stones, each	-	-	-	0	0	4 $\frac{1}{2}$
Drip stones, nine pence, to	-	-	-	0	1	6
Puncheons and tierces of corn	-	-	-	0	1	3
Hogsheads of corn	-	-	-	0	2	0
Chests of arms	-	-	-	0	6	0
Truss hoops, per sett	-	-	-	0	0	9
Smith's bellows, each	-	-	-	0	3	0
Butt and pipe staves and heading, per one thousand	-	-	-	0	15	0
Spades and shovels, per dozen	-	-	-	0	0	6
Horses, mules, asses, and horned cattle, each	-	-	-	0	2	3
Sheep, hogs, and goats, each	-	-	-	0	0	4 $\frac{1}{2}$
Bags of coffee, receiving, weighing, tiercing, and shipping, at nine pence per one hundred and twelve pounds.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barrels and half barrels gunpowder	-	-	-	0	6	0
Kegs of gunpowder	-	-	-	0	1	6
And all goods, wares, and merchandize, not herein particularly enumerated and set forth, shall be paid for in proportion to the foregoing rates.	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Trelawny, Saint James, Hanover, Westmoreland, Saint Ann's, Saint Mary's, and Saint Elizabeth's.</i>						
Worms for stills, per one hundred and twelve pounds	-	-	-	0	0	7 $\frac{1}{2}$
Window glass, cheese, cordage, (including cables), sheets of lead, or lead pewter pipes in cases or bundles, per one hundred and twelve pounds	-	-	-	0	0	6

Boxes of soap and candles, bar iron, sheet iron, tin, iron-hoops, g $\frac{1}{2}$ pnels, anchors, loose iron work, mill cases, mouth pieces, and plates, grating bars, dampers, wain tyre, gudgeons, axles, carriage, guns, (including their carriages,) shot, standard weight, pig and bar lead, grindstones, paints, (dry and ground in oil), per one hundred and twelve pounds	0	0	4 $\frac{1}{2}$
Nails, dry salt-fish, and bacon, per 112 pounds	0	0	3

*By Measure.*

Every thousand feet of boards, plank, scantling, or American lumber	0	7	6
Paving stones, per square yard	0	0	9
Boxes or cases of flint glass, ironware, earthenware, and all dry goods, in bales, trusses, cases, crates, trunks, boxes, &c. per cubic foot	0	0	3
Coals and slack lime, when loose, per bushel	0	0	1 $\frac{1}{2}$
Corn and salt, when loose, per bushel	0	0	1 $\frac{1}{2}$

*By Tale.*

Bricks, tile, creese, and very large slates, per thousand	0	6	0
Shingles, when packed, per thousand, three shillings: unpacked	0	4	6
Staves and puncheon heading, per thousand	0	7	6
Wood hoops, per thousand, if stored six shillings; not stored, three shillings	0	3	0
Bottled liquor in casks, cases, or hampers, per dozen	0	0	2

*By the Gallon.*

Oil and Vinegar	0	0	1 $\frac{1}{2}$
Empty butts, per hundred gallons	0	0	7 $\frac{1}{2}$
Butts, hogsheds, puncheons, and barrels of porter, beer, cyder, &c. in bulk, per ton of 252 gallons	0	3	0
Taches, coppers, and boilers, per hundred gallons	0	6	0
Stills, with head, per ditto	0	1	6

*By Package.*

Barrels of pitch, tar, turpentine, and rosin, barrels of beef, pork heads, cheeks, or other Irish or American cured provisions, also boxes or cases of pipes	0	1	6
Barrels of flour, corn, cornmeal, pease, beans, onions, potatoes, barrels of herrings, or other cured fish, hampers of onions or potatoes, hogsheds, puncheon, and tierce packs, with heading for each	0	0	4 $\frac{1}{2}$
Hogsheds, puncheon, and tierce packs or shooks, without heading, for each	0	0	
Cases of pickles, hampers of tin, earthenware, copperware, or loaf sugar, empty puncheons, and sets of truss hoops, for each	0	0	4 $\frac{1}{2}$
Every tierce of rice, one shilling and six pence, half tierce	0	0	2
Triangles, beaufets, or corner cupboards, if small, one shilling and six pence, if large	0	2	3
Chests of tea, one shilling, half chests, for each	0	0	6
Cases of chests of medicines, also dining tables, if small, nine pence, if large	0	1	6
Coach, chariot, post-chaise, and landau, including the carriage and wheels	6	19	0

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Phæton, ditto	0 12 0
Chaise or kittereen, ditto	0 9 0
Barrels and half barrels of gunpowder, for each	0 6 0
Kegs of ditto, for each	0 1 6
Hogsheads of corn, pease, and beans	0 1 6
Tierces and puncheons of ditto	0 1 0
Hogsheads of coals, slates, and slack lime	0 2 0
Tierces of ditto	0 1 3
Puncheons of temper lime, also if cased in hogsheads	0 2 3
Hogsheads of dry goods, two shillings, puncheon, of ditto, one shilling and six pence, tierces of ditto, one shilling, barrels of ditto	0 0 6
Puncheons of loaf sugar	0 1 6
Pipes of wine, brandy, gin, &c. three shillings, butts	0 4 6
Kegs and jugs of pulse, also boxes of tobacco, each	0 0 3
Firkins of butter, tallow, lard, tongues, &c.	0 0 3
Chairs in bundles, every two	0 0 4½
Kegs and jars of tripe, for every two	0 0 4½
<i>Loose.</i>	
Each anvil, and each plough, complete	0 1 6
Each piece of oznaburghs, canvass, or crocus	0 0 3
Each coopers' jointer, and each roll or bundle of leather	0 0 4½
Each smith's bellows if small, one shilling and six pence, if large	0 2 0
Each dripstone, nine pence, if with a frame	0 1 6
Hoes, bills, axes, and oxbows, per dozen	0 0 6
Shovels and spades, per dozen	0 0 9
Iron pots, large and small per dozen	0 1 0
<i>Colonial Produce.</i>	
For each hogshead of sugar	0 2 3
For each tierce of ditto	0 1 6
For each puncheon of rum	0 2 0
For each hogshead of ditto	0 1 0
For each puncheon or tierce of coffee or cocoa	0 1 6
For coffee or cocoa in other packages, except bags, per one hundred and twelve pounds	0 0 3
For each bag of coffee, cocoa, ginger, and pimento	0 0 4½
For each bag of cotton, one shilling and six pence; each pocket of ditto	0 0 9
For every one thousand feet of cedar, mahogany, or other hardwood	0 9 0
For each ton of dyewood, lignumvitæ, and ebony	0 7 6
Lancewood spars, per dozen	0 1 0
Sarsaparilla, per one hundred and twelve pounds	0 1 0
Tortoisheshell, arrowroot, tamarinds, and indigo, per one hundred and twelve pounds	0 0 6
For hides, wet, per dozen, one shilling; dry, per ditto	0 0 6
For castor oil, per gallon	0 6 1½
And all goods, wares, and merchandize, not herein parti- cularly enumerated and set forth, shall be paid for in proportion to the foregoing rates.	

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*Country ditto*, each Friday

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## COMPANION TO THE ALMANACK.

### LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETIES IN THE WEST-INDIES.

In the Almanack for 1844 we published an article on the benefits to be derived from Life Assurance, and the principles upon which it is founded; and we now propose to lay before our readers some particulars of the several Life Assurance Societies existing in the West-Indies.

The degree of civilization which a country has attained is most satisfactorily ascertained by examining its institutions, and as the formation of Life Assurance Societies is evidence of improvement, it is interesting to record their growth in the West-Indies.

There was an attempt made in the year 1841 to form a "Jamaica Marine Fire and Life Assurance Company," and an Act incorporating the Company was passed, but the provision that £50,000 capital should be paid up and funded before commencement of operations, as well as other circumstances, caused the failure of the project.

The first society which assured lives in the West Indies was, we believe, that formed in Barbados in 1840, under the name of the "Barbados Mutual Life Assurance Society." It commenced operations on the 24th November in that year, and has been successfully carried on to the present time. The Premiums adopted by this Society are those of the Equitable Society of London, (deduced from the Northampton Tables of Mortality, reckoning interest of money at 3 per cent.) with the addition to the premiums of 10 per cent. to the age of 45, and of 20 per cent. after that age.

The following are examples of the Premiums payable yearly for the assurance of 100 dollars, on whole life:—

Age next birth-day.	Premium. Dols. cents.
18	2 28
20	2 39
30	2 93
40	3 73
45	4 28
50	5 42
55	6 37
60	7 64

Persons not acclimated by a residence of five years in the West Indies, are required to pay the following additional Premiums:—

For the 1st year of residence	$2\frac{1}{2}$	per cent. on the sum assured
2d	2	
3d	$1\frac{1}{2}$	
4th	1	
4th	$\frac{1}{2}$	

The following extra Premiums are also charged by the Society:—

For travelling by sea, should the voyage or voyages not exceed three months	}	$\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. on sum assured
For any period exceeding three months, or for continuous travelling		2 per cent. per annum on ditto
For remaining longer than 15 days at any one time, and not exceeding 3 months, at British Guiana, Trinidad, Tobago, and St Lucea	}	2 per cent on ditto
For remaining longer than 3 months at either of the aforesaid places		4 per cent. per annum on ditto

The Barbados Society carried on its business under "articles" in writing until the 26th January, 1844, when a formal Deed of Settlement was executed by the Members. This deed provides that the Directors shall pay the sums assured by five equal instalments, the first of which shall be made within three months after the demise of the assured shall have been duly certified, and the remaining instalments annually from that time, with interest at the rate of 5 per cent. "unless the Directors shall think fit to pay the money due on any such policy within a shorter space of time." No assurance on a single life for more than 10,000 dollars can be effected. The profits are to be ascertained every five years, and apportioned as bonuses to those Life Policies issued by the Society, which shall be subsisting at the end of the period of five years for the time being expired, and shall have been subsisting during the whole or any part of such period, which shall be for the whole continuance of life, and in respect of which the premiums payable shall be calculated for persons desirous of participating in the profits of the Society, and which shall not have been issued within one full year of the period for the time being expired. Such bonuses to be appor-



tioned as the Directors shall, with reference to the probable duration of each subsisting policy, and the amount of premiums paid thereon, consider fair and equitable.

The Policies of this Society provide that the renewal premiums shall be paid within fifteen days from the day on which they become due, unless the assured shall die within the fifteen days, and before payment of the premium, when the same shall be deducted from the amount of the policy.

The following particulars of the progress made by the Society have been collected from its half yearly reports.

At the end of the year 1841 the income of the Society was stated, by the second half yearly report, to be 11,363 dollars 24 cents. The fourth half yearly report describes the accumulated fund to be 25,047 dols. 56 cents. According to the sixth it had increased to 38,137 dols. 10 cents; and the eighth, being to the end of 1844, represents it as being 52,829 dols. 33 cents, at which period the annual income of the Society was 17,226 dols. 40 cents.

The Society, up to the end of 1844, had lost two members, whose policies, in consequence, became payable, one for 500 and the other for 5000 dollars.

The Jamaica Mutual Life Assurance Society was in progress of formation from the month of October, 1842, but was not actually established until the 26th January 1844, when a public meeting was held at the Court-House, Kingston. A formal deed of settlement was subsequently prepared and executed, which bears date the 21st March, and the office of the Society was opened for business on the 22d of the following April.

The premiums charged by the Society are those of the Equitable Society, with the addition, for the third, fourth, and fifth years of residence in the West-Indies, or on the Continent of America within the Tropics, of £3 3s. per cent. on the sum assured, and of £2 2s. for subsequent residence within those limits. Persons who have not so resided for two consecutive years immediately preceding the date of proposal for an assurance cannot become members of the Society. Persons, however, who have so resided, subsequent to their having attained the age of 16 years, for three consecutive years, and for such other period or periods as shall make five full years of such residence, are assured for subsequent residence at the same addition to the English premium of £2 2s. No females are assured under 18, and no males under 20. The sum assured by a policy is payable within six months after proof of the death of the party. The Directors are, however, empowered, during five years from the commencement of business by the Society,

in case of any extraordinary mortality, to postpone payment for one or more years, but not exceeding five; the sums so postponed to bear interest at 5 per cent.

The following are examples of the premium payable yearly for the assurance of £100 by parties who have been upwards of five years within the Tropics :—

Age next birth day.	Premium.
18	£4 3 8
20	4 5 7
30	4 15 5
40	5 9 1
45	5 19 11
50	6 12 8
55	7 8 4
60	8 9 4

The Directors charge 10s. per cent. on the sum assured for a voyage in a steamer, and £2 in a sailing vessel. All renewed premiums must be paid within fourteen days after they become due. At present no greater sum can be assured upon any one life than £1,000. Parties, on becoming Members of the Society, pay £1 per cent. on the sum assured, as entry money.

The plan of dividing profits adopted by this Society is taken from the Scottish Provident Institution, and is peculiarly fitted for a Society whose tables are framed on no precise data as to the prevailing law of mortality.

We add an abstract of the clause from the Society's Deed of Settlement, describing the plan alluded to.

"At the expiration of every five years the affairs of the Society shall be investigated, and the Directors shall report to the annual general meeting the amount of surplus or profit, if any, that may appear from the investigation to have arisen from the business and funds of the Society, after providing for all the present and expected claims thereon, and the said surplus, excepting not less than one-fourth nor more than one-third part thereof, to be retained as a guarantee fund, shall be divided among the members entitled, by adding to the sums that will, unless the policies be forfeited or surrendered, become payable on the death of the life or lives assured, but no part of any such surplus shall be finally appropriated to any policy, on which there has not been paid to the Society, either by a single payment, or by annual premiums, or partly by both, a sum, which, when accumulated with interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, shall, at the time of such investigation, be equal in amount to the sum originally assured."

The Jamaica Society obtained an Act of the Island Legislature

in the Session of 1844, giving it the power to sue and be sued in the name of the Chairman, any one Director, or the Secretary, and authorising the Receiver-General to take its funds at 6 per cent. interest, payable half yearly.

At the first annual general meeting of the Society, held on the 25th February, 1845, the report, containing the transactions of the Society from its commencement (22d April) to the 31st December, 1844, was read, from which it appeared that fifty lives had been assured, and that, after paying all the preliminary and current expenses, there was a balance in favour of the Society of upwards of £800. The report also mentioned that a person who was assured for £500 had died, and that on the 21st February, 1845, the sum of £1,500 stood to the Society's credit in the books of the Receiver-General.

Branches of the Society are now carried on at Falmouth, Montego-Bay and Savanna-la-Mar.

At about the beginning of 1844 a Mutual Life Assurance Society was established in Antigua. We are not in possession of the rules and constitution of the Society, but they are probably of a similar nature to those of the Barbados office.

We are however enabled to give the following examples of the premiums payable yearly, for the assurance of 100 dollars on whole life :—

Age next birth day.	Premium.
18	2 dols. 40 cents.
20	2        59
30	3        50
40	4        50
45	5        00
50	5        75
55	6        50
60	8        00

In 1843 an unsuccessful attempt was made in British Guiana to establish a Proprietary Insurance Office, to include both Fire and Life; but in 1845 the British Guiana Mutual Life Assurance Society was instituted, it being agreed that it should not commence business until fifty proposals had been accepted.

The subjoined extract from its Prospectus fully explains the nature of the Table of Premiums adopted by this Society :—

“ In the absence of a sufficiency of authentic data to procure a correct Table of Mortality for this Colony, it has been found somewhat difficult to arrive at a correct conclusion. The subjoined Rate of Premiums, therefore, can only be looked upon as an approximation to what is absolutely required for the protection of the Society from embarrassment, and to what might simply be sufficient to pay the expenses of the Society, and at

the same time secure the payment of the Policies as they became due; and, therefore, it may be found necessary hereafter to modify it, at some future period. In the mean time, great caution and prudence have been observed, by assuming a very high rate of mortality, say at four per cent. per annum, which is nearly double that of the whole population of England. Now, if together with this fact, there be taken into consideration the exclusion of all *unseasoned Europeans*, and the circumstance of the insured being all good and picked lives, except in those cases where an extra premium, proportionate to the risk of a hazardous life, is demanded, it is only reasonable to suppose that the premiums will be found high enough to secure the Society against every contingency, and shew a considerable surplus profit. On comparison, they will be found to be a little higher than those of either the Barbados or the Antigua Mutual Life Assurance Societies; but not so high as those of Jamaica."

The following are examples of the premiums payable yearly for the assurance of 100 dollars on the whole life:—

Age next birth-day.	Premium.	
	Dols.	Cents.
18	2	80
20	2	90
30	3	56
40	4	52
45	5	20
50	6	3
55	7	8
60	8	50

This Society proposes to divide its surplus profit among the Assured triennially, following the example says its Prospectus of the "Scottish Provident."

No life will be assured, unless the party has, after having attained the age of 16, resided for three years preceding the date of the proposal in the colony, or two years in the West-Indies, or on the Continent of America within the tropics, and one year in the colony. No female life will be assured under the age of 18, and no male life under that of 20. Each party on proposing must deposit with the Secretary five dollars and one half per cent. on the amount proposed to be assured.

We have not heard of any attempts to form Life Assurance Societies in other of the West India Colonies, but their existence in Barbados, Jamaica, Antigua, and British Guiana, must be extremely gratifying to all who pay due attention to the moral condition of their fellow men.

In the hope that these pages may come under the notice of

some who do not sufficiently understand or appreciate Life Assurances, we add an extract from an excellent paper on the subject, issued by the Scottish Widows' Fund Life Assurance Society; and earnestly recommend it to the consideration of our *non-assured readers*.

#### ORIGINAL PURPOSE OF LIFE ASSURANCE.

The system of Life Assurance, in its simplest and most ordinary form, affords to all men, in good health, the means of making provision for their families at their death, by payment of a comparatively small sum of money annually during their lives. There are many other objects, most useful and beneficial in themselves, to which this system may be applied, but the great proportion of Insurances are effected for the purpose of securing family provisions; and there can be no doubt that that was the purpose which the first projectors of the scheme had in view.

It is unnecessary to inquire at present, upon what principle the amount of the annual payment is fixed; it is sufficient to state that Insurance Companies and Societies are established mainly for the purpose of affording the means of making such provisions as have been referred to, and that all that has to be done by any person desirous of taking advantage of the means thus afforded, is to go through the ordinary form of application to the Company, to give reference to his ordinary medical attendant and a private friend, and to submit to an examination by the Company's Medical Officer,—each of whom reports as to his health and habits; and if the Company shall be satisfied that the applicant is in good health, a Policy of Insurance is effected, under which the Company, as the Insurers, in return for a specified sum to be paid annually during his life by the person insured, become bound to pay to his representatives a specified sum, within a limited period from the date of his death.

To those who have it not in their power otherwise to provide for their families at their death, this system is of incalculable benefit. Without it, some few persons might have been led to lay up in store, for the benefit of their families, each year, as much as they could save from their annual incomes, in the hope that, at their death, they might thus have realized such a sum as should place their families beyond absolute want; but how many, instead of doing this, would have argued with themselves, that with the small savings they could spare from their incomes, it would be hopeless to expect that they should be able to lay up a sum sufficient for this purpose, and who would have attempted to quiet their consciences and remove the scruples which would inevitably have risen up against them, by taking for granted, that had their means been greater they would have made such

provision. Mr. Babbage, in his treatise upon Insurance, says, "Nothing is more proverbially uncertain than the duration of human life, when the maxim is applied to an individual; but there are few things less subject to fluctuation than the average duration of life in a multitude of individuals. The whole object of Life Assurance is to render that certain which nature has made uncertain. A person in health and employment knows, that if he lives a few years he will be able to leave, at his death, a competence for his family, *but he knows also, that from the uncertainty of life, he may be cut off in a year or a month, and leave that family unprovided for.*" To the prudent and conscientious father of a family, then, the system of Life Insurance removes all anxiety on the subject. He may employ part of his income in this way, although it be not more than £1, £5, or £10 a-year. Each may, according to his circumstances, by means of this valuable principle, secure from want those who are dependent upon him and his resources, equally after his death as during his life. It would be well if all who have it in their power to take advantage of the system were to do so; but, unfortunately, there are too many to whom the offer is made who refuse to accept it, and are, therefore, much more to blame in leaving their families in destitution and beggary than they would have been had this system never existed.

There is seldom a week passes in which we do not hear of some family, who, during the life of their father, lived in ease and comfort, being left in the utmost distress and misery on his death, which would not have been the case had he been a member of a Life Insurance Society when he had it in his power to become so. Is it too strong an expression to make use of to say that these men are guilty of a dereliction of a *positive moral duty* who pass through life in the enjoyment of every luxury which their means will admit of, but who, on their deaths, leave their widows and their families totally unprovided for, dependent for their livelihood upon the charity of their surviving relations, or possibly of strangers? Mr. Morgan, the late eminent actuary of the Equitable Society of London, said that he considered every assurance made for the purpose of providing for a surviving family not only as a private but a public good; but I should be disposed to go farther, and say, that every father of a family who ought to insure his life, and who fails to do so, is guilty not only of a private but a public wrong.

The Messrs. Chambers, the well-known publishers of that most valuable Journal which bears their name, in one of their articles on this subject, (No. 373,) puts this branch of the subject in so clear and strong a light, that I cannot do better than quote what they write "What is the predicament of that man who, for the gratification of his affections, surrounds himself

with a wife and children, and peaceably lives in the enjoyment of these valued blessings, with the knowledge that, ere three moments at any time shall have passed, the cessation of his existence may throw wife and children together into a state of destitution? When the case is fully reflected upon, it must certainly appear as one of gross selfishness, notwithstanding that the world has not been accustomed to regard it in that light. It is unquestionably the duty of every man to provide, while he yet lives, for his own. We would say that it is not more his duty to provide for their daily bread during his life, than it is to provide, as far as he can, against their being left penniless in the event of his death. Indeed, between these two duties there is no essential distinction, for Life Assurance makes the one as much a matter of current expenditure as the other. One part of his income can be devoted by a head of a family to the necessities of the present; another may be stored up, by means of Life Assurance, to provide against the future. And thus he may be said to do the whole of his duty towards his family, instead of, as is generally the case, only doing the half of it."

No man is fairly and justly entitled to allege, as a reason for not making provision for his family on his death by means of Life Insurance, that it was not intended for persons in his station; the system is open to all ranks and grades of the community. It was, with much truth, observed by the very Rev. Dr. Macfarlan, Principal of the University of Glasgow, in the address which he made to the Members of the Scottish Widows' Fund Society, when occupying the chair at the Annual General Meeting held in the year 1842,—“It is surely a most gratifying spectacle to see in this Institution all ranks of society—from the highest peer, from the most elevated dignitaries in Church and State, down to the humble tradesman and artizan—partaking alike in the advantages which this Institution affords to them and their families;”—and the same is the case with almost every similar institution; the benefits which they offer are not confined to one class, but are open to all. Neither is it a sufficient reason for any man who ought to do so, to refuse or delay to insure his life, that he cannot afford it. On this subject, the latter part of the article in *Chambers' Journal* above referred to is conclusive. “It may be felt by many, that, admitting this duty in full, their income is nevertheless insufficient to enable them to spare even the small sum necessary as an annual premium for Life Assurance. The necessities of the present are, in their case, so great, that they do not see how they can afford it. We believe there can be no obstacle which is apt to appear more real than this, where an income is at all limited; and yet it is easy to show that no obstacle could be more ideal. It will

readily be acknowledged, by every body who has an income at all, that there must be some who have smaller incomes. Say, for instance, that any man has £400 per annum; he cannot doubt that there are some who have only £350. Now, if these persons live on £350, why may he not do so too, sparing the odd £50 as a deposit for Life Assurance? In like manner, he who has £200 may live as men do who have only £175, and devote the remaining £25 to have a sum assured upon his life. And so on. It may require an effort to accomplish this; but is not the object worthy of an effort? And can any man be held as honest, or in any way good, who will not make such an effort, rather than be always liable to the risk of leaving in beggary the beings whom he most cherishes on earth, and for whose support he alone is responsible?"

#### OTHER PURPOSES OF LIFE ASSURANCE.

With regard to the other purposes to which Life Assurance may be applied, there is scarcely a single case, whether of a strictly business character, or with a view to family arrangements, where human life forms an element in the transaction, to which Life Assurance may not be made available towards some useful purpose. It is impossible to attempt to point out each case individually, but some of those which are most common may be referred to. To all persons holding merely a life-rent right or life interest in property, Life Assurance affords the means of giving security for debt which could be obtained in no other way; it enables an ordinary debtor to secure the payment of his debt, provided from his own funds he can make the annual payments required; and thus, to a man who has an opening to commence a lucrative business, whether in commercial or agricultural pursuits, but who is unable, from his own resources, to make the first necessary outlay, a Policy of Insurance on his life is of the utmost value, because without it no friend could safely advance him a sufficient sum to meet that first outlay, however much he might be satisfied as to his power and intention to repay it if he should be certain of living only for a few years. To any person deriving an income from an annuity payable during the life of another, it affords the means of making provision against the loss which he would otherwise sustain by the death of the party upon whose life the annuity is dependent. To a man A, who has right to a sum of money upon the death of B, Life Assurance is of great value, by enabling him to secure it, by a policy for a like sum to be paid on the death of B, in the event of his predeceasing A. In each of these cases Life Assurance, as Mr. Babbage expresses it, renders that certain which nature has made uncertain.



BYE-LAWS OF THE ROYAL AGRICULTURAL  
SOCIETY OF JAMAICA.

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OBJECTS AND CONSTITUTION OF THE SOCIETY.

The Royal Agricultural Society of Jamaica has been founded for the furtherance and encouragement of any practical improvement in the cultivation of the staple and other products of the island, for the general advancement of tropical agriculture, and for embodying and disseminating information on such subjects.

The Society consists of an indefinite number of members, who have the free power and privilege of electing or re-electing, as hereinafter mentioned, a council formed of not more than thirty-six members of the Society, whereof one President, a managing and corresponding Secretary, and a publishing and registering Secretary shall be three, and regulated in their proceedings by bye-laws, from time to time enacted, and to whose care the entire management of the Society is entrusted, such council reporting at the general meeting, held in each year in Spanish-Town, the general state of the affairs and progress of the objects of the Society.

There are also Vice-Presidents of the Society for each county in the island, being members of the Society, but not exceeding ten in number for any one county, and also a local committee for each parish, consisting of members of the Society.

The main and essential principle of the constitution of the Society is the total exclusion of all questions at its meetings, or in its proceedings, of a political tendency, or having reference to measures pending, or to be brought forward, in either of the Houses of the Imperial Parliament, or in the Council or House of Assembly in this island, and which principle it is declared by the act incorporating this Society, no resolution, bye-law, or regulation of the Society shall on any account or pretence whatever, at any time, infringe or controvert.

MEMBERS.

Every candidate for admission into the Society must be proposed by a member, the proposer to specify in writing the name, usual place of residence, and post-office of the candidate, either at a council or by letter to the managing Secretary.

Every such proposal shall be read at the council at which such proposal is made ; or, in case of the candidate being proposed by a letter to the Secretary, at the first meeting of the council next after such letter shall have been received. At the next meeting of the council the election shall take place, when the decision of the council shall be taken by a shew of hands, the majority of the members present to elect or reject. The Secretary shall inform members of their election by letter, in such form as the council shall from time to time direct. All members belonging to the Society are bound to pay their annual subscriptions, until they shall withdraw from it by a notice in writing to the Secretary. Members to pay an annual subscription of not less than one pound, all subscriptions being due on the first of January in each year ; but when the election takes place in December, the subscription paid in that month will be considered as the subscription of the following year. Members may compound for their lives by paying ten pounds. On and after the first of June, the subscriptions due at that date, and remaining unpaid, are in arrear ; and no member whose subscription is so in arrear shall enjoy any of the privileges of the Society, nor will any such member be allowed to enter into a composition for his future payments until such arrear be paid. Members have the privilege of attending all meetings of the council, on being introduced by one of that body. Members also have the privilege of personal access to the Society's rooms, library, museum, and other places in the occupation of the Society, but under such regulations and restrictions as the council may deem it expedient to adopt. An alphabetical register shall be kept of the members, exhibiting the date of their election, and the subscriptions received or due from them, with the dates respectively of payment and arrear, and a list of members, distinguishing those in arrear, shall be published in the Society's Reporter once in each year after the first day of June, or oftener, under the direction of the council.

Whenever it is proposed to remove any member from the Society, the same shall be done by a resolution of the council, which shall be read at three successive meetings, and be suspended in the intervals in some common room of the Society, and at the last of the said meetings the proposition shall be balloted for ; and if two-thirds of the members balloting shall vote for such member's removal, he shall be removed from the Society accordingly.

#### HONORARY MEMBERS.

The honorary members of the Society shall be individuals

who have rendered eminent services in promoting the objects of the Society.

Every person proposed as an honorary member shall be recommended by the council, and be elected; and liable to be removed in the same manner, and be subject to the same rules and restrictions as members.

Honorary members shall have the privilege of attending the meetings of members, and of visiting the Society's rooms, library, museum, and other similar places open to members, but they shall not be entitled to vote at the meetings of the Society.

#### CORRESPONDING MEMBERS.

The corresponding members of the Society shall be constituted of such persons, not resident in Jamaica, as show a willingness to promote the objects of the Society, and shall be recommended and elected, and be liable to be removed in the same manner as honorary members.

Corresponding members shall enjoy the same privileges, and be subject to the same rules and restrictions, as honorary members.

#### GENERAL MEETINGS.

The anniversary meeting for the election of the president, secretaries, and council, shall be held in Spanish-Town on the 20th day of February in each year, or within one week therefrom, public notice of the meeting being given at least one fortnight previously, by advertisement in the Society's Reporter, or otherwise as the council shall direct. At such meetings all elections shall be determined by shew of hands. The president shall be an annual officer of the Society, but eligible to be re-elected from year to year. The members of the council and the secretaries shall hold their respective offices for one year, but shall also be eligible to be re-elected. The president and council, including the secretaries, shall not, however, come into office until the day after the annual country meeting next following.

At the anniversary meeting, the general report from the council on the state of the affairs and progress of the Society, and also the report of the audit committee will be read. Only members, or individuals bearing the president's, or the managing secretary's written order, will be allowed to be present, each party giving his name in writing on being admitted.

The annual country meeting of the Society shall be held at such time and place as shall be decided upon by the council at

its monthly meeting in January, and declared at the ensuing anniversary meeting.

The president, or a majority of the council, such majority being not less than five, at any monthly meeting, may direct that a general meeting of the members of the Society shall be held in Spanish-Town, fourteen days' previous notice of such meeting being given in the Society's Reporter, or otherwise as the council shall order.

#### THE PRESIDENT.

The President shall be proposed, and elected or re-elected at the anniversary meeting.

In all the official relations of the Society, he shall take precedence of all other members, and shall have full power to summon, at his pleasure, meetings of the council, and shall take the chair at every council when present, he and every other chairman of the Society having the privilege of a casting vote in all cases of equality in the division on any question. He shall sign all such letters, votes of thanks, and other documents as the council may direct, in the name and on behalf of the council.

#### VICE-PRESIDENTS AND LOCAL COMMITTEES.

The Vice-Presidents and members of the local committees must be members of the Society—they must be recommended to their respective offices by the council, and be elected to, and be liable to be removed therefrom, in the same manner as members are elected and removed. The Vice-Presidents and members of the local committees shall be entitled, *ex officio*, to be present at all meetings of the council, and speak thereat, but not to vote.

#### THE COUNCIL.

The council shall hold a general meeting on the third Friday in every month, at 12 o'clock, at the rooms of the Society in Spanish-Town, and shall also meet by adjournment when they shall think proper, such meetings to be held by common understanding, and without summons; but should at any time the business of the Society require a special council to be held at any other time or place, the President shall have full power to direct such a council to be summoned, at such time and place, and with such notice as he may think fit. In the absence of the President, three other members of the council shall have power to summon the council, on delivering to the managing

secretary their written order for issuing the summonses, and allowing not less than ten days to elapse between the date of summons and the day appointed for the meeting of such council.

The monthly meeting of the council, or any adjourned meeting thereof, shall have the full power of originating, discussing, and deciding, by the majority of votes and show of hands, all questions brought before it on the business of the Society. Should, however, any member then present regard any proposition brought forward as too important for immediate decision, he will be at liberty to take the sense of the meeting, whether such proposition should be postponed, in order that it may be duly discussed at the next monthly meeting, and should one-third of the members present agree, such proposition shall be postponed, and due notice of such motion and postponement shall be given to all members of the council by the managing secretary.

In the absence of the President, the chair shall be taken by a Vice-President, and should no such officer be present, then by such member as the council shall choose as their chairman by the majority of votes. The quorum of the council shall be three. At every meeting of the council, the minutes of the previous meeting shall be first read, and postponed matters shall take precedence in the order of business to new motions, excepting in the case of any question relative to the finances of the Society, which shall always be taken first into consideration. All minutes and reports read at the council shall receive the chairman's signature. The common seal of the Society shall not be affixed to any instrument except in the council room, during a meeting of the council. The council has the power of determining the amount of salary to be paid to the secretaries, of appointing and removing clerks and servants, and of fixing their salaries.

#### COMMITTEES.

All committees shall be appointed by the council, and shall be considered as becoming extinct at the annual meeting in the country. The first council after that date reviving such committees as the business of the Society may require.

Each committee, at its first meeting, shall elect its own permanent chairman, the chair being taken in his absence by a special chairman, to be elected for the occasion; and all committees shall meet by summons, issued by direction of their respective chairman, or of the president, or of any three mem-

bers of a committee, or by adjournment. The president and secretaries are members, *ex officio*, of all committees.

All committees, during their sittings, shall report the progress of their proceedings at each monthly meeting of the council, when the recommendations of their reports will undergo consideration.

### THE SECRETARIES.

The managing and corresponding secretaries shall conduct the correspondence of the Society, preserving the letters he may receive in a classical arrangement, and retaining copies of those which he writes by direction of the council or committees. Under the direction of the council he shall demand and receive all moneys due or payable to the Society, and shall keep full and particular accounts of all sums so received, paying such sums into the hands of the treasurer (the Colonial Bank). He shall also have the charge of the expenditure of the petty cash, and the immediate superintendence over the clerks and servants of the Society.

The publishing and registering secretary shall perform the duties of responsible Editor of the Society's Reporter or Transactions, and shall have the custody of all the books, models, and papers belonging to the Society, and keep a register of the same, in such manner as the council shall from time to time direct.

### FINANCES.

Every sum of money exceeding £10 shall be paid by an order made in council, and by a check upon the treasurer, which shall be signed by the President, or, in his absence, by the chairman of the council and by two members of the council, and countersigned by the managing secretary, and a book shall be kept, in which a consecutive entry shall be made of all such payments. The accounts shall be made up to the end of every year, and be audited in the January following by a committee to be appointed at the monthly meeting of the council in December, and to consist of the President and three members of the council, and of three members of the Society not members of the council, or of any of the committees, and to be chosen at the anniversary meeting from the general body of the Society. The report of the committee for auditing the accounts shall be read upon the anniversary meeting, and shall be printed in the Society's Reporter.

### PRIZE ESSAYS.

All information contained in a Prize Essay shall be founded

on experience or observation, and not simple reference to books or other sources.

Drawings, specimens or models, (drawn or constructed to a stated scale will be preferred), shall accompany writings requiring them.

All competitors shall enclose their names and address in a cover, on which only their motto, and the subject of their essay, shall appear.

The President, or chairman of the council for the time being, shall open the cover on which the motto designating the essay to which the prize has been awarded is written, and shall declare the name of the author.

The President, or the publishing secretary, may open the motto paper of such essays not obtaining the prize as they may think useful for the Society's objects, with a view of consulting the writer confidentially as to his willingness to place such paper at the disposal of the Society.

The copy-right of all essays gaining prizes shall belong to the Society, which shall accordingly have the power to publish the whole or any part of such essays, and the other essays will be returned on the application of the writers, but the Society does not make itself responsible for their loss.

The Society is not bound to award a prize unless it considers one of the essays deserving of it.

In all reports of experiments, the expenses shall be accurately detailed. The imperial weights and measures only are those by which calculations are to be made.

No prize shall be given for any essay which has been already in print.

Prizes may be taken in money or plate, at the option of the successful candidate.

All essays must be addressed to the managing secretary.

#### LIBRARY AND MUSEUM.

There shall be a library for the reception of all works having reference to the objects of the Society, and all donations of books shall be referred to a committee to decide whether the same shall be accepted. There shall also be a museum for the deposit, particularly, of specimens of the natural and artificial productions of the West-Indies and other tropical countries, of models of agricultural implements, and of such other objects as the council shall think proper. A register shall be kept, in which an entry shall be made of all presents of books, models, specimens, &c. together with the names of the donors. Such

list shall be published once in a year, at least, in the Society's Reporter, or otherwise as the council shall direct.

No model, implement, or other object can be exhibited to the Society without leave from the council.

#### BYE-LAWS.

No established bye-law shall be altered, or new one proposed, unless one month's notice in writing has been given to the council, and a copy of such notice transmitted by the managing secretary to each of its members: Provided always, that nothing in this bye-law shall prevent the bye-law proposed being altered or amended by the council at the time it is under consideration.

All bye-laws shall be entered into a book, to be kept for that purpose, and signed by the President and managing secretary for the time being.

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### IMPLEMENTS ADAPTED TO TROPICAL AGRICULTURE.

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The extreme importance of promoting the use of *Agricultural Implements* induces us to lay before our readers particulars, with illustrations, of some of those which have been perfected for the West-Indies, by Messrs. Ransome. The advice of Professor Johnston to the Royal Agricultural Society of Jamaica, relative to the mechanical means of improving our soils, cannot be too frequently before us.

He says "The first great steps which appear necessary to the improvement and to the more economical culture of West India soils, so far as I understand their nature, are of a mechanical kind. The use of improved implements—the insertion of drains, and similar means—will of themselves make culture profitable and productive, where it now in many cases yields barely remunerative returns, while it will fit the lands for fully benefitting by those other means which Chemical Science now places within the reach of the practical man."

Before describing the Implements referred to, and indeed in the hope of impressing on the minds of some of our Planters the value of good *tillage*, we annex an extract on the subject from Dr. Lovell Phillip's very excellent Essay on Tropical Agriculture.

"I know not that I can better show the erroneousness of the opinion I have alluded to, viz. that the plough pulverises the soil too much, than by mentioning that I find it set down in an excellent series of articles in the *Agricultural Gazette* of London, on the agricultural value of land, that one main feature to



be taken into consideration is, "the cultivation it has received;" one of the three subdivisions under this head being the "*pulverization given to the soil by agricultural implements.*" It cannot fail to be noticed that every word which I have already said (*upon authority*) respecting the advantages and necessity for the disintegration of the materials of the soil, applies directly to an argument in favour of the use of the plough. Liebig relates how by exposing gold ore, in Chili, after all the gold that was appreciable has been abstracted, a new portion is rendered available in the course of two or three years by the disintegrating powers of the air, and so also a second and a third time, and adds, precisely similar is the chemical action which takes place in the soil of our fields, and we accelerate and increase it by the mechanical operations of agriculture. By these we sever and extend the surface, and endeavour *to make every atom of the soil accessible* to the action of the carbonic acid and oxygen of the atmosphere. We thus produce a stock of soluble mineral substances which serve as nourishment to a new generation of plants—materials which are *indispensable* to their growth and prosperity. In fact, "the mechanical working of the soil is the simplest and cheapest method of rendering the elements of nutrition contained in it accessible to plants." "By the use of the plough," says Professor Johnston, "the parts of the land are more minutely divided—the air gets access to every particle—it is rendered lighter, more open, more permeable to the roots. The vegetable matter it contains decomposes more rapidly by a constant turning of the soil, so that wherever the fibres of the roots penetrate they find organic food provided for them, and an abundant supply of the oxygen of the atmosphere to aid in preparing it. All soils contain, likewise, an admixture of fragments of the minerals of which they are formed, and which, by their decay, yield new supplies of inorganic food to the growing plant. The more frequently they are exposed to the air, the more rapidly do these fragments crumble away and decompose. There are few soils so stubborn as not to show themselves grateful in proportion to the amount of this kind of labour that may be bestowed upon them." I need hardly remind those who have spent a winter in England, that in the best gardens in that country advantage is taken of the winter season, when the ground cannot be cropped, to dig and turn it up methodically to a considerable depth, sometimes even so as to bring up to the surface, where it is left rough, the subsoil, which perhaps has never before seen the light, and which at the time is incapable of supporting vegetation, but which by exposure to light and the atmosphere, becomes exceedingly fertile in consequence of the great accumu-

lation of valuable materials in it, either derived from the original rocks of which it is the *debris*, or washed down to it from the surface by the infiltration of the rain-water carrying with it all soluble matters, whether of an organic or an inorganic nature, there to be stored up for the improving farmer, or too often to be lost for ever; for unless they be thus turned up anew, they never can be available to the crop above, partly because they are not in a fit state for its use, and partly because the roots of the crop cannot penetrate in search of them into the hard impervious cold mass in which they are imbedded. Just to give an adequate idea of the importance of this subject, I shall repeat the directions which are given for the operation by the late Mr. Loudon, one of the highest authorities on such matters. He says, "in digging, regard must be had to preserve a uniform depth through out; to *reverse* the position of each spitful so as what was the surface before may now be buried; to break and comminute every part where pulverization is the leading object; to preserve each spitful as entire as possible, and place it separated where aeration is the object," &c. &c. He then gives directions for the greater operation called trenching, where the object is to bring up the subsoil to the surface. I need not give these as they are entirely matter of detail, but I may mention, that it is not at all uncommon for the soil, after such a process, to yield a threefold return. Of this I can speak from experience. Still, I fear, the old objection may be raised, that though this may be all very well in a cold damp climate like that of England, it will not answer under our burning and drying sun. I rejoice that I can meet this very point upon such unexceptionable authority as Professor Johnston. Well, then, Professor Johnston says, when treating of *drainage*, "It is a curious and apparently a paradoxical observation, that *draining* often improves a soil on which the crops are liable to be *burned up* in seasons of drought. Yet upon a little consideration the fact becomes very intelligible. Supposing that the surface soil extends to a certain line, whilst below this there is a subsoil in which the water stagnates. The roots will readily penetrate to the line between these two soils, but they will in general refuse to descend further, because of the unwholesomeness of soil where water stagnates (not to mention the mechanical opposition to their further progress). *Let a dry season come, and their roots having little depth, the plants will be more speedily burned up.* But lower the level at which water stagnates (or remove it altogether by working the subsoil), the rains will then freely wash the subsoil, and the roots will descend into it, so that if a drought come again, it may parch the soil above, as before, without injuring the plants since now they are watered and fed by the soil beneath."

If science never wrote another sentence applicable to our agriculture, the one which I have just quoted from an able pen would be invaluable, if duly weighed and acted upon. I do not assert that our lands in general require drainage, though I believe that many spots, ay, and those of the finest, might be improved by the judicious introduction of drains, *just to create a circulation through them*, but I feel perfectly convinced that we act most erroneously, and in direct opposition to all reason and science in refusing to work up our soil, and in forcing our canes to grow in large shallow basins, with sides as hard as baked ware and bottoms impervious to the tender roots. Most wisely and efficaciously do we shelter the roots from the rays of a burning sun by a covering of dry leaves, but most unwisely and injuriously do we force them to grow *within the reach of those rays*, and prevent their seeking the shelter which is natural to them in the depths of the soil, where they would not only not be parched by the direct action of the sun, but where they would also meet with water, and an abundant supply of food which now lies buried and unused. Once more hear Professor Johnston, for the matter cannot be too much enlarged upon:—"Enable the water to travel downwards, and the air from above will follow it, and take its place among the pores of the soil, carrying to every root the salutary influences it is appointed to bear with it, wherever it penetrates. When this is done the stiff soil will become mellow, and, when once stirred up to a considerable depth, more universally porous, so that air can make its way everywhere, and the roots can easily extend themselves in every direction. The presence of vegetable matter, whether existing naturally in a soil thus physically altered, or artificially added to it, becomes of double value." To facilitate these beneficial actions, the Professor strongly advises the use of what is called the subsoil plough, which breaks up the subsoil, and renders it pervious to air and water, and still more strongly the process of *deep ploughing*, which, in addition to the other advantages, "brings up new earth to the surface, thus forms a deeper soil, and more or less alters its physical qualities and chemical composition." I must leave it to those who think it worth while to pursue the subject (and may they be many), to consult his Lectures on Agricultural Chemistry, or his smaller work, *The Elements of Practical Chemistry*, which will amply repay the outlay and trouble. I cannot, however, deny myself the satisfaction of quoting some remarks of a *practical* man on this subject, not only because of their intrinsic value, but because they show what progress practical men are making in the science of agriculture, and place the stamp of experience on the suggestions and reasonings of the man of science.

In an article on the culture of land for wheat, by Mr. Morton (author of an excellent work on soils), in a late number of the *Agricultural Gazette*, it is said, "When land is ploughed only to the depth of three or four inches, the active soil is so very limited, that the least change in the weather is injurious to the plants growing in it. The manure under this system of shallow ploughing, forms a layer near the surface; the roots of the plants ramify only through the furrow slice in which the dung is placed, and consequently the plant has but little hold of the ground.—Being thus spread horizontally near the surface, the roots are easily exposed to the weather, and whether it be mild or frosty, dry or damp, are entirely under its influence; in a dry season the shallow soil, and the manure in it, becomes parched and inactive; in wet weather, the roots having but little hold of the ground a soaking rain and a little wind loosen the plant, and it is blown out. In a deeply cultivated soil the plant exerts the whole of its energy at first, in the production of roots, which strike deeply into the soil, filling the whole of it with their minute fibres. Upon the arrival of genial weather, the organs of the leaves being excited are prepared for vigorous and luxuriant growth; and a wide field having been laid under contribution for the purpose, the roots easily provide the nourishment required to support them under it. If, under such a system, a plant be pulled up, it will be found that the roots have ramified so extensively that *no variations of temperature can affect them*: they draw their nourishment from sources beyond the influence of the variableness of external agents. Thus, deep cultivation, by encouraging depth of rooting, effects indirectly for the plant a comparative independence of the weather; but it has a direct influence in the same direction, for if the weather be wet the water more readily passes down to the drains, and *if it be dry, it retains for a longer time a sufficiency of moisture*. Of two crops equally luxuriant in their growth, that is not so liable to lodge which is grown on the deeper soil, for its growth has been more gradual and natural, and less the result of artificial excitement. Of course, it must be understood that *deep* cultivation can safely be entered upon only in soils that are naturally or artificially dry." This last is a precaution more necessary to be given in England than with us; but altogether, though I might multiply authorities on this head to an almost indefinite extent, yet I should hardly find any thing more applicable to our case or more clearly expressed. It will not be amiss to quote one short sentence from Liebig on the subject:—"In hot summers," says he, "accompanied by light and partial showers of rain, *porous* soils of no great fertility yield often better crops than richer stiff soils.

The rain falling on the porous soil is immediately absorbed and reaches the roots, whilst that falling on the heavy soils is evaporated before it is able to penetrate them." I may add, that though horticulture has made wonderful advances in many respects in England, yet that in no instance has the result of scientific practice been more remarkable than where, in accordance with the principle above detailed, plants, either flowering or fruit-bearing (especially pines grown under great heat), have been developed in soils so prepared as to admit the free access of air to the roots. Should any of your readers have access to a very valuable publication entitled the *Gardener's Chronicle*, they will there find the subject most excellently treated, especially in papers by Mr. Wood, a most successful horticulturist. Mr. Mills is known as the grower of some of the finest pines ever seen, and the secret of his method is thus characterised in the *Gardeners' Chronicle*:—"The foundation of his success is common sense. He keeps his soil perfectly open and well drained; his roots are preserved by this means in a healthy condition; he does not cramp them. These are his great rules of conduct. They apply to other plants as well as to pines."

This is really a subject of such *immense* importance, that I am unwilling to omit any authority which occurs to me as bearing forcibly on it. I shall therefore bring together two passages from Mr. Solly's valuable little work on Rural Chemistry, which will, I hope, assist in drawing attention, and carrying conviction in the matter. "It is a remarkable fact, that a mixture of two or three earths, such as lime, silica, and alumina, is better fitted to absorb moisture and gaseous matter than either of the earths taking singly; and, in the same way, the addition of organic matters to the soil has the effect of increasing this power still further; and, therefore, the best soils are those containing a quantity of each of these three earths, mixed with a moderate proportion of decaying organic matters. It frequently happens that, from want of mixture, *surface* soil is deficient in some of the important earths and *saline* matters, in which the *subsoil* is rich. The system of subsoil ploughing, so successfully practised in many parts of the country, depends mainly upon the advantages derived from the admixture of the subsoil with the surface. In this operation, a plough is employed to break up and pulverise the soil to a considerable depth below the surface; by this process the permeability of the soil to air is greatly increased, and in consequence, the subsoil is soon brought into a fit state to be mixed with the surface soil, by the use of a suitable plough." "Part of the benefit derived from this operation is doubtless due to the great openness conferred upon the soil, which permits a

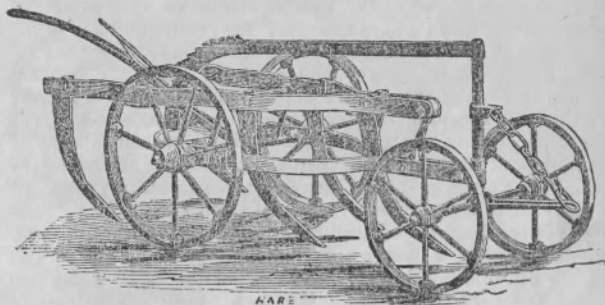
more perfect access of air and moisture, and allows the roots of the growing plants more easily to permeate through it; but, at the same time, advantage is also derived from the greater supply of saline and soluble earthy matters which are thus made available for the use of the plants." By a judicious use of the subsoil, that at the surface may frequently be very much improved, and a saving effected in the quantity of manure required for the land."

We now add the promised description of Messrs. J. R. and A. Ransome's Implements from their Catalogue.\*

They remark in that publication that though unacquainted from personal observation with tropical agriculture, they have from time to time, and during many trials of their Implements, been assisted by the remarks and judgment of persons conversant with those long in use in the West India islands, and who from their observation and practical experience have furnished many valuable hints thereon; and with these advantages J. R. & A. R. have either constructed Implements especially for the purpose, or modified those of proved utility in England so as to adapt them to the agriculture of this colony.

"Simplicity of construction, and the best arrangement of the several parts of the implements and machines for exportation, as well as for the occasional necessary repairs, are points which the makers have carefully attended to so as to give every facility to their introduction and general use."

#### RANSOMES' PATENT INDIAN CULTIVATOR.



\* Copies of this Catalogue may be had on application to Mr. Bland, Secretary of the Royal Agricultural Society, Kingston. Orders for the Implements will be received by Messrs. M'Whinney, Hendrick, & Co. and by Mr. Pinckard, 2 Hatton Court, Threadneedle Street, London.

This implement has obtained the highest commendation after a thorough trial, and will be found capable of performing a variety of operations. It readily penetrates very hard ground, tearing up roots and weeds with ease and certainty. By passing it at right angles across foul ground, it thoroughly disintegrates the ground without the necessity of ploughing, and with the aid of a clod crusher almost any land may be brought into a clean state of fine tilth.

The teeth are made of wrought iron with case hardened points, which can be renewed as they wear, so that the Implement is extremely durable, being composed entirely of metal. The points being removed, hoes can be substituted that cover the ground; and as by the action of the lever the depth can be adjusted to the greatest nicety, it then becomes a hoe, effectually cutting up all weeds in a track of more than three feet in width. The perfect manner in which this machine acts, and its utility in various stages of cane cultivation, appear so great that the Council of the Royal Agricultural Society of Jamaica have adopted a representation of it on their prize medal.

J. R. & A. R. believe that this implement will prove a most useful addition to the machinery, so much required in the Colonies for economizing labour.

# RANSOME'S PATENT TRUSSED BEAM IRON PLOUGH,

WITH EXPANDING MOULD BOARD.



In this plough, it has been the design of the makers to give the greatest strength with the least weight of material it would admit of—and such construction of its several parts, that those which wear up may be replaced by the ploughman on the spot, without having to send the implement from the field.

The plough is marked for distinction with letters cast upon it, and each wearing part with figures, so as to admit of easy description.

The mould board will expand from the width of 13 inches to 21 inches. It is made of cast iron and accurately fitted.

The coulter fastening is a very simple and effective contrivance, and admits of the adjustment of the coulter in any direction without the trouble and inconvenience of wedges.

The above cut gives a representation of this plough. It is made in a similar form either for light or strong work, and may be used as a swing plough without a regulating wheel, or with one, as shown above.



## LOWCOCK'S PATENT PLOUGH.

MANUFACTURED BY

J. R. &amp; A. RANSOME,

WITH THEIR NEW PATENT TRUSSED IRON BEAM.



A plough for the purpose of turning furrows in one line of direction and parallel to each other. It has not to be turned round at the end of the field, but the ploughman having completed his furrow to the right, passing on to the furrow side of the plough, turns over the handles from one end of the beam to the other, where they are re-adjusted by a catch affixed to them, which dropping into a mortise at the beam head renders them stationary.

Whilst performing this simple operation the horses turn round on the landside of the plough, (thus preventing the ploughed land from being trodden,) and, by the act of turning, the draft-chain to which they are attached, slides on a rod to the other end of the plough. As soon as the horses commence drawing, the left hand share and coulter set into their work—the double fly, which forms a part of the mouldboard each way, coming in contact with the newly cut furrow, instantly turns back and assumes its correct position, and the implement proceeds without further adjustment, cutting out and

turning over the furrow slice to the left hand.

# RANSOME'S PATENT TRUSSED BEAM DOUBLE-TOM PLOUGH,

WITH EXPANDING MOULD BOARDS.



In the principle of construction, this plough is the same as that described in the previous page, but it has a pair of mould boards—a right and left hand one—which expand in the same relative degree with each other, and may be set wider or narrower at pleasure. The share has also a right and left wing, and each part of the plough is marked with letters or figures, so as to admit of easy description when a renewal of any be required.

The purpose of this plough is for opening cane holes or moulding up ratoons.

The same description, of plough is also made with a large revolving coulter with a steel edge made sharp for cutting trash and burying it at one operation. And when the coulter is removed, the plough may be used for making very deep trenches.

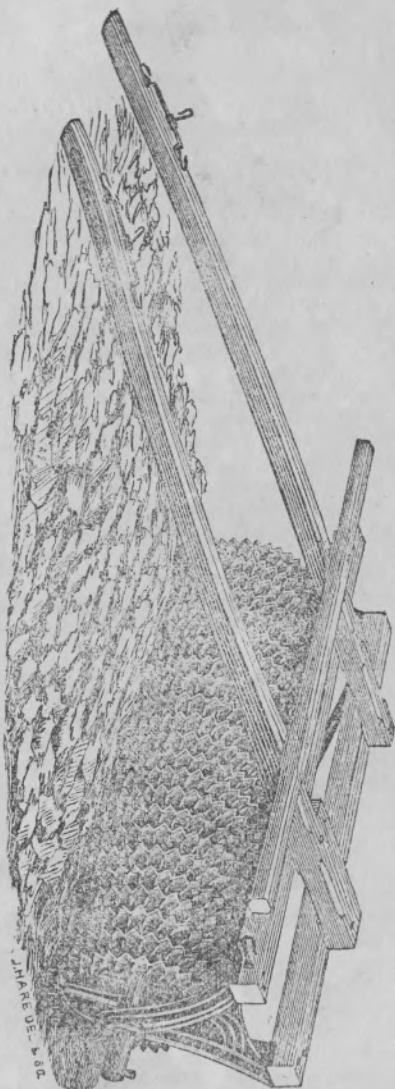
**CROSSKILL'S PATENT CLOD CRUSHER.**

This is a very effective heavy roller for the purpose, as its name implies, of breaking clods, and reducing the soil to a fine state. The roller is composed of a series of toothed rings, which revolve loosely upon an axle. The teeth penetrate the clods, and the weight of the roller completely crushes them. Used in connexion with the Indian cultivator, this implement will be found extremely useful. By them the roughest and foulest ground may be very quickly brought into a clean and fine garden like tilth.

The Clod Crushers are made of the following widths—five feet, five feet six inches, six feet, and six feet six inches, measuring the roller which operates upon the land. One of them has been forwarded by J. R. & A. Ransome to the Royal Agricultural Society of Jamaica for trial.

This implement is manufactured by J. R. and A. Ransome, under licence from the patentee.

*(See the annexed cut)*



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RULES OF THE KINGSTON METCALFE DISPENSARY.

FOR THE RELIEF OF THE INDUSTRIOUS POOR.

[*Established 1st May, 1842.*]

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1. The object of this institution is to afford a relief to that class of persons who are not paupers, yet who are not in circumstances to command medical assistance in times of sickness and distress, with power to the committee to extend its usefulness as necessity shall point out.

2. It shall be under the direction of a Patron, Governors, and a Committee of Management, from amongst whom there shall be annually elected a Chairman and Treasurer.

3. The Governor of the Island shall be the Patron, if he shall be pleased to accept the office.

4. The Governors shall be appointed annually. They shall be twelve in number, and elected from annual subscribers of five pounds and upwards. A donation of twenty pounds shall constitute the donor a Governor for life.

5. The committee of management shall also be appointed annually. A donation of ten pounds shall constitute the donor a member of the committee for life.

6. The committee shall consist of twenty-six members, annual subscribers of not less than one pound, of whom five shall be a quorum, with power to fill up any vacancy which may occur by death, resignation, or leaving the island. The rector and the several curates of Kingston, and the medical gentlemen who lend their assistance in furthering the objects of the institution, shall be members of the committee.

7. The committee shall meet quarterly, on the first Monday in January, April, July, and October, at which the chairman shall preside, unless there shall be a governor present, when he shall take the chair.

8. Two members of the committee shall, in rotation, visit the institution weekly, who, with the treasurer, shall, on the Tuesday, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, form a board, and decide on any matter which may be brought before it.

9. A general meeting of the friends of the institution shall be held annually, on the second Monday in October, to receive the report of the committee, a statement of the funds for the preceding twelve months, and to appoint officers for the ensuing year.

10. No person shall receive relief from this institution who is capable, when in health, of earning more than five shillings per week, unless such person shall, while in health, contribute to the support of the institution, by monthly or quarterly payments as follows :—

For a single man or woman, one shilling per month, or three shillings per quarter.

For a man and his wife, one shilling and six pence per month, or four shillings and six pence per quarter.

For a man, his wife, and child, one shilling and nine pence, or five shillings and three pence per quarter.

And three pence per month for every additional child.

11. No person shall receive relief from this institution who is capable, when in health, of earning more than twelve shillings per week, except in the case of a married man having a large family, when the limit shall be extended to sixteen shillings per week. Should one quarter of any of the above payments become in arrear, the name of the party shall be struck off the books of the institution, and the person shall forfeit all right to relief; and no person shall be entitled to relief after the establishment of the institution, unless his or her name shall have been on the books of the institution for two months at least. All payments shall be made in advance.

12. Subscribers to this institution shall have the privilege of recommending any number of persons for relief, at the rate of one person for every ten shillings of the amount subscribed annually; such person to be in destitute circumstances, and unable otherwise to procure medical aid.

13 The clergy above mentioned shall have power to recommend, and the medical gentlemen who lend their aid in support of the institution, to grant relief to such as they consider proper objects, without limit; provided that the eleventh rule be strictly adhered to.

14. Any congregation or society shall have the privilege of recommending any number of persons for relief, at the rate of one person for every eight shillings of the amount subscribed annually.

15. The medical gentlemen of the committee shall, in weekly rotation, attend daily at the dispensary, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to give advice and prescribe for all cases which may be present.

16. Every person, on receiving a recommendation for relief, shall attend at the dispensary at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and no persons shall be visited at their residence, except such as are unable to attend at the dispensary, and upon no account out of the city.

17. The dispensary shall be opened from 8 o'clock, a. m. until 6 p. m., and the dispenser shall be in attendance during that period, except at such times as he may be visiting the out patients.

18. The dispenser shall be a qualified medical practitioner and shall attend the out-door patients, a list of which he shall present every morning to the medical gentleman in attendance, and if there is any case of importance, or upon which he wishes an opinion or advice, the medical gentleman shall visit the case in question, and either take it in charge, or advise the dispenser, as he shall deem proper.

19. The dispenser shall act as clerk or secretary.

20. No articles shall be purchased without the approval of the medical attendant for the week, and no account paid by the treasurer, without the signatures of the members of the board at which the account shall have been presented and passed.

21. The treasurer shall make up his accounts quarterly, and present them at the meeting of the committee.

22. A book shall be kept, in which the name, age, sex, and residence of every person entitled to relief, and the periods at which payments had been made, shall be received at all times by the dispenser, and accounted for weekly by the treasurer.

23. A book shall also be kept, in which the name, age, sex, occupation in life, residence, and disease, and the name of the person by whom recommended, of the person obtaining relief shall be entered ; and

24. No new rule or resolution, affecting the interests of the institution, shall be adopted, until notice thereof shall have been given at one general meeting of the committee, and taken into consideration and disposed of at the next.

## REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1845.

In presenting the Fourth Annual Report the Directors are happy to observe, that the subscriptions of those for whose benefit the Dispensary was instituted shew an increase upon those of last year to the extent of nearly one third. They do not however amount to the sum total of the subscriptions of the year preceding the last. The annual contributors have increased steadily year by year, which indicates a growing interest in the success of the Institution on the part of the gentry. The number of persons attended and prescribed for this year, when compared with the numbers of former years, affords a gratifying proof of the increasing usefulness of the Institution. The Directors entertain a sanguine hope that the recommendation of his Excellency in his opening Speech of the Session, with regard to sanatory regulations for the prevention of the loss of population, will lead to grants from the Legislature in aid of local exertions, and enable the Directors to add another medical officer to their Institution, as it would be extremely desirable that while one medical officer is visiting, another should remain at the Dispensary to give advice.

*Total of Abstract of Account Current.*

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1844.	Balance of account	-	-	-	£279	7	0
1845.	Grant from House of Assembly, Donations, and Subscriptions	-	-	-	495	5	4
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1845.	To Contingencies	-	-	-	£436	10	7
	Balance in favour of the Institution				338	1	9
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REPORT OF CASES OF DISEASE TREATED AT THE  
DISPENSARY, FROM OCT. 1844, TO OCT. 1845.

	Cured.	Relieved.	Not Relieved.	Died.	Total.
Abortion ... ..	4	0	0	0	4
Amaurosis	1	2	3	0	6
Amenorrhœa ... ..	3	4	1	0	8
Anæmia	5	3	0	0	8
Aorta (aneurism of) ... ..	0	0	0	1	1
Aphthous affections	9	0	0	0	9
Apoplexy ... ..	1	3	0	2	6
Asthma	1	3	0	0	4
Brain, inflammation of ... ..	3	0	0	1	4
Brain, acute dropsy of	0	0	0	1	1
Brain, chronic dropsy of ... ..	0	1	0	0	1
Bronchitis	7	3	0	1	11
Bladder, chronic inflammation of	1	1	0	0	2
Catamenia profuse ... ..	7	6	0	0	13
Consumption, pulmonary	2	4	0	5	11
Convulsions, infantile ... ..	7	0	0	1	8
————, puerperal	3	0	0	0	3
Croup ... ..	1	0	0	0	1
Croup, spasmodic	5	0	0	0	5
Delirium tremens ... ..	2	0	0	1	3
Dentition, effects of	7	0	0	2	9
Diabetes ... ..	0	1	0	0	1
Diarrhœa	30	0	0	2	32
Dropsy, general ... ..	2	3	0	2	7
Dropsy of the belly	0	4	0	1	5
Dysentery ... ..	38	0	0	2	40
Dysmenorrhœa	1	2	0	0	3
Dyspepsia ... ..	6	3	0	0	9
Ear, discharges from	2	1	2	0	5
Epilepsy .. ..	1	0	2	0	3
Eye, diseases of	15	7	5	0	27
Fever ... ..	108	0	0	2	110
Gastritis	1	0	0	0	1
Gout, rheumatic ... ..	0	2	0	0	2
Hæmorrhage from nose	2	0	0	0	2
———— from lungs ... ..	0	1	0	1	3
———— from stomach	1	0	0	0	1
———— from uterus ... ..	4	0	0	0	4

## REPORT—CONTINUED.

	Cured.	Relieved.	Not Relieved.	Died.	Total.
Hæmorrhage from bladder	2	0	0	0	2
Hæmorrhoids ... ..	3	4	0	0	7
Headache	6	3	0	0	9
Heart, inflammation of ... ..	1	0	0	0	1
—, organic affection of	0	7	0	2	9
—, functional derangement of	0	3	0	0	3
Hysteria ... ..	0	4	0	0	4
Hooping Cough	5	0	0	0	5
Ileus ... ..	1	0	0	1	2
Influenza	13	0	0	0	13
Insanity ... ..	0	0	1	0	1
Intestines, inflammation of	3	0	0	0	3
Kidney, organic disease of ... ..	0	2	0	2	4
Leprosy, tubercular	0	1	5	0	6
Liver, disease of ... ..	0	1	1	0	2
Leucorrhœa	1	1	0	0	2
Lungs, inflammation of ... ..	5	0	0	1	6
Measles	8	0	0	0	8
Nuralgic affections ... ..	2	6	0	0	8
Ovaries, affections of	0	2	3	0	5
Paralysis, different forms of ... ..	1	2	4	0	7
Penis, sores on	4	0	0	0	4
Pleurisy ... ..	2	0	0	0	2
Rheumatism	21	5	0	0	26
Scarlatina ... ..	9	0	0	0	9
Skin, eruptions on	17	4	2	0	23
Spine, caries of ... ..	1	2	1	0	4
Spleen, chronic enlargement of	2	0	1	0	3
Stomach, organic disease of ... ..	0	1	0	0	1
Tabes, Mesentericæ	0	0	0	2	2
Tetanus (Idiopathic) ... ..	2	0	0	0	2
Tetanus (Traumatic)	0	0	0	3	3
Throat, inflammation of ... ..	11	0	0	0	11
Urine, retention of	2	0	0	0	2
Worms ... ..	5	0	0	0	5
Burns, severe	3	0	0	0	3
Leg, amputation of ... ..	1	0	0	1	2
Foot, ditto	1	0	0	0	1
Finger, ditto ... ..	2	0	0	0	2

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	Cured.	Relieved.	Not Relieved.	Died.	Total.
Collar bone, fracture of	3	0	0	0	3
Eyelids, tumours in ... ..	3	0	0	0	3
Hydrocele	2	0	0	0	2
Naevus ... ..	1	0	0	0	1
Anuerism by Anastomosis	1	0	0	0	1
Shoulder Joint, dislocation of ...	3	0	0	0	3
Humerus, fracture of	4	0	0	0	4
Radius, fracture of ... ..	3	0	0	0	3
Metacarpal Bones, fracture of	2	0	0	0	2
Fibula, fracture of ... ..	1	0	0	0	1
Urethra, stricture of	7	2	0	0	9
—, fistulæ in ... ..	2	2	1	0	5
Ulcers	8	3	2	0	13
Scrophulous affections ... ..	0	4	0	0	4
	457	113	34	38	642
Attended at their residences ... ..	...	...	...	...	426
Prescribed for at the Dispensary ... ..	...	...	...	...	216
Total ... ..	...	...	...	...	642

# SUGGESTIONS FOR PERSONS WHO HAVE OPPORTUNITIES TO MAKE OR COLLECT OBSERVATIONS OF THE TIDES.

It was shewn by Newton, nearly 150 years ago, that the fact of the tides, and several other circumstances, resulted from the law of the universal gravitation of matter. But in this interval of time scarcely any thing has been done which might enable us to combine into a general view the phenomena of the tides as they take place in all the different parts of the world; and at very few places have good and continued observations been made and published. It is conceived that by collecting such observations as have been made, or may easily be made, the connexion and relation of the tides of all the parts of the ocean may be in a short time clearly made out; and that persons may be induced to make such careful observations as may serve to be compared with the theory. In this hope the present paper is circulated.

The most useful observations, with reference to our general knowledge of the tides, are the following, beginning with those which are most easily made:—

1. The observation of the time of high water at a known place, on any day, and especially at new and full moon.
2. The observation of the time of high water on several days in succession at the same place.
3. The observation of the height of several successive tides at the same place.
4. Observations of the comparative time of high water on the same day at different places in the same seas.

1. An observation of the time of high water at a given place on *any* known day may be useful.

If the time of the *moon's southing* on the same day be noted, this will facilitate the use of the observation, and will furnish an additional evidence of the correctness of the date.

The time of high water on the days of *new and full moon* is more particularly useful than on other days.

Observations of the time of high water may be made with sufficient accuracy without a tide-post. A place ought to be selected where the water is tolerably smooth. The observation

may be made by attending to the wet surface of any body partly immersed, by noting when the water ceases to rise visibly, and the time when it begins visibly to descend, and by taking the time midway between these two as the time of high water.

It ought to be mentioned, in reporting the observations, what kind of time was employed, (mean or apparent,) and from what time-piece it was taken.

2. If there be opportunity at any place, it is desirable to observe the time of high water *every day for a fortnight*.

In general the time of high water may be determined, by observing either the morning or the evening tide; the tide not observed being supposed to take place at the time mid-way between the two adjacent observed tides.

But it will often convey additional information if *both daily tides* are observed.

3. A single observation of the height of the tide is not of much value; but a *series of heights for a fortnight* is valuable, especially if accompanied with observations of the times.

The morning and evening tide are often unequal, and this inequality sometimes varies considerably from one fortnight to another.

In observations of the height of the tide, the height of high and low water above a *fixed line* ought to be given.

It is desirable to fix this line in such a manner that observations made at a *subsequent period* may be referred to the same line.

4. The usefulness of tide observations will be greatly increased if those made at places in the same seas can be compared, so as to show the rate *at which the tide wave* travels:—

For example, the time which it employs in passing along a certain line of coast, or across a sea, or round an island, or up a bay.

N. B. The tide wave is the elevation of the waters by which high water is produced in many places at once. It is not observed as a visible wave, but is found by drawing a line upon the globe through all the places at which it is high water at a certain moment. The rate and direction of its travelling are known, by comparing the position of such lines at successive times.

N. B. The rate *at which the tide wave* travels is quite distinct from the rate at which the stream of ebb or flow runs.

N. B. Also the direction in which the tide wave travels is quite distinct from the direction in which the tide *ebbs or flows*.

The most proper observations for determining the rate and course of the tide wave are those of the time of high water on

*the same day at different points* (not too near nor too remote) on a continued line of coast or sea.

This may often be done by a person residing in any country, by making inquiries of persons conversant with the coasts, or by directing corresponding observations to be made at different places for a few days only.

If the places differ much in longitude, this ought to be noted, that allowance may be made for the difference of the absolute time of noon.

If there be any uncertainty as to the rate and course of travelling of the tide between two places, the doubt may best be removed by obtaining observations at some intermediate point or points.

It is necessary to distinguish the time of high water at the *mouth* of a deep bay or sound, from the time of high water further in. The former is to be taken in all such comparisons as are here spoken of.

Large islands and long promontories much disturb the regular progress of the tide wave.

Comparative observations of the *height* of the tide at different places in the same seas, especially if combined with those of the times, may also be of great value.

All communications concerning any observations of the above kinds, made or to be made in any part of the world, will be thankfully received. They may be addressed to

The Rev. W. Whewell, Trinity College, Cambridge;

or at the Royal Society, London;

or the Astronomical Society, London;

or the Naval and Military Museum, Whitehall, London.

It is requested that in reporting such observations, the name or designation of the observer may be given, so as to afford the means of applying to him for explanation.

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## ON THE WEATHER IN JAMAICA.

[COMMUNICATED.]

Taking a retrospective view of the meteorology of this section of the island,\* I find a very great similarity in the weather during five successive years; so much so, that we are enabled, and with tolerable certainty, to prognosticate the vicissitudes. Thus instructed by the operations of nature, the practical farmer will make those provisions which will ensure to him results both satisfactory and profitable.

Let us take for the purpose of comparison the years 1830, 1831, 1832, 1833, 1834, and examine the meteorology as recorded in my journal. I could have selected any other five years, but as the book happened to be at hand my purpose will be as well answered.

The following is an extract from the general observations:—

1830.] “During the first quarter (1830) the wind was variable; gales from the north (*usual at this period of the year*) have occurred, but not severe. The first gale struck the island on the 22d January, and the rain which this wind brought to our shores was heavy, *and continued* so day and night until the 25th. Gales at this season generally last from three to five days. On the 19th of February, a gale of three days’ duration appeared, and in the month of March the north wind roared with violence, on the 5th, 6th, and 7th, accompanied by heavy rain. The weather for the rest of the month was variable—heavy rain generally falling during the nights only—very little electricity, no lightning or thunder. The number of rainy days is as follows:—January, 14; February, 4; March, 10; Total, 28.

1831.] “In 1831, the northerly wind set in as early as the 2nd of January. It was but a moderate gale; but on the 17th, 18th, and 19th, it blew furiously all day and night from the north-west. During this gale the thermometer was as low as 68°; and on the afternoon of the 19th, when the gale moderated, and the wind shifted to the southward it rose to 72. The temperature of the water on the 20th was 69, and the atmosphere before sunrise was 64. There was no gale in February, the weather was remarkably fine and cool, with occasional showers. March was ushered in with a very boisterous northerly wind,

\* Kingston and its neighbourhood.

with less rain than ordinary. Another gale set in early on the 15th, and continued till the 17th.

1832.] The weather during the first quarter of 1832 was very seasonable, and agriculture was only impeded by a cause which had no connexion with meteorological vicissitudes. The island, during the months of January and February, was nearly ruined by internal war.

1833.] In January, 1833, the north wind set in on the 11th, and lasted as usual three days. In February there was no gale, and very little rain, if we except some occasional light showers, which cooled the earth at night. The sky was seldom or ever clouded. March was fine until the 15th, from which day until the end of the month, fry south and south-east breezes prevailed, which, independent of being exceedingly unwholesome and disagreeable, withered almost every species of vegetation. Although there was rain on the 10th, 11th, and 12th, the earth was parched and dry immediately after the south-east wind appeared.

1834.] From the 1st until the 5th January, 1834, a similar fry south-east wind prevailed. It shifted to the north-east on the 16th, and continued blowing fresh until the 18th, and it then lulled, and began again on the 23d, and continued until the 25th, when it shifted round to the south, and a deluge of rain fell every day until the end of the month. March was moderate, with only five days' rain—the prevailing wind from the south-east.

The following table is an analyses of these years.





The figures used to denote the force of the wind are those approved of by the Admiralty, namely:—

A cypher, 0, denotes calm; figure 1, light air, just sufficient to give steerage way.

2, 3, and 4, Breezes with which a well-conditioned man of war, under all sail, and clean full, would go in smooth water; 2, light breeze, from one to two knots; 3, gentle breeze, three to four knots; 4, moderate breeze, five to six knots.

5 to 9, Fresh breeze to strong gale, in which the same ship would carry when close hauled.

5, Fresh breeze, royals, &c.; 6, strong breeze, single reefs and top gallant sails; 7, moderate gale, double reefs, jibs, &c.; 8 fresh gale, triple reefs, courses, &c; 9, strong gale, closes reefs and courses

10, Whole gale, only close-reefed main topsail and reefed foresail.

11, Storm, reduced to storm staysails.

12, Hurricane, to which she could show no canvas.

This table almost renders the use of the Anemometer unnecessary.



We have made the following extracts from Dr. Arnold's Meteorological Report (kept in Kingston) for the first quarter of 1845, for comparison with the previous table.—

#### JANUARY.

During the first three weeks, the thermometer averaged at 6 o'clock a.m. 78 deg. at 3 p.m. 86.

Greatest height observed on the 14th was 87 deg. lowest grade 76, range 8 to 10.

Nimbi in the mountains on the 1st and 2d, with lightning, a rare occurrence so early.

Cumuli have been the most frequent clouds, until towards the end of the month, when Conoid and Filliform Cirri spread over the south-eastern hemisphere, sure harbingers of high wind, which happened on the 26th and 27th, blowing (No. 4) moderate, (No. 5) fresh breezes from the north.

South east wind prevailed, and daily averaged a force of about No. 4. It set in about 10 o'clock, a.m., and seldom ceased before midnight.

The weather has been fair and dry throughout, cool and pleasant the last week of the month.

## FEBRUARY.

The first part of this month the thermometer at 6 a. m. from 70 deg. to 72; at 3 p. m. from 80 to 82; a very sensible decrease in the temperature from what was observed in January.

Greatest height, 84 deg. on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 22d; lowest, 70; average range, 10.

Generally fair and dry throughout; a few drizzling showers; for the most part a clear serene sky. Cumuli daily, except for a few days, when the sky was overcast.

Average force of the trade-wind, south-east 4.

## MARCH.

The temperature during this month has been greater than the last by six degrees, felt very sensibly. The greatest height observed was 86 degrees, and it continued so daily; the least 72; for a few mornings only it was 76 and 78; and the nights were warm—range 14 degrees.

Many beautiful varieties of Conoid and Filliform Cirri were seen, particularly on the afternoon of the 3d and 4th of the month; the brilliancy of the colour rendered the scene highly picturesque. A strong E.S.E. followed these premonitors.

From the 9th to the 15th the wind's force was No. 5, blowing steadily from the E.S.E. from 10 o'clock a. m. until midnight.

During the whole of this period, the Cirri was seen to cover the eastern sky. On the 14th and 15th, drifting Cumuli passed away to the north and north-west.

The weather has been warmer than usual from the 10th of the month, very dry and dusty.

On the 27th, we had a fine shower, of about two hours' continuance. The last four days the wind had been fresh from the eastward, blowing very steadily all day and night.

The plains of Liguanea begin to feel the want of rain; but, generally speaking, the country looks fertile.

As I was in correspondence with many very kind and intelligent friends in almost every parish of the island, I was enabled, from the information obtained from these sources, to lay before the Royal Agricultural Society a more satisfactory account of the weather, which has prevailed in the parishes of St. James, Hanover, Trelawny, St. Ann's, and St. Mary's, up to this period.

In the reply to my letter to a friend in the district of St. Thomas in the East, he states—"We have had north winds *unusual of strong and cold* in the months of January and February.

March has been mild, with showers.

Vegetation was completely checked by the cold north winds, and the pastures dried up.

This quarter has not been so dry as this period of 1844.

Our agricultural pursuits have been, cleaning guinea grass pieces, pastures, &c. and the period has been favourable for making sugar.

Similar weather to this prevailed along the coast, and to the confines of the parish contiguous to the district of Manchioneal and Portland.

Portland may have had more rain, but in general there was nothing unusual.

This report exactly corresponds with the extract from my register already quoted.

This sort of weather extended as far westward as St. Ann's Bay, as appears by my correspondent's remarks—"We have had frequent heavy rain, with northerly wind, in January and February. March, there has been light showers. In the interior, south-west, there has been no rain; that part of the country is burnt up, and the ponds are getting low.

The return from the parish of Trelawny states, that the weather, during the months of January and February, was rather dry, with strong north-east winds, night and morning, during a greater part of the time very cold.

The thermometer 68 deg. in the morning, and 78 and 80 the highest. About the last half of the present month (March) it has been warmer, with heavy clouds floating in the atmosphere, occasional showers; the wind the whole time has ranged from north-west to north-east.

The season has been most favourable to agriculture, and very fair crops will generally be made; the rain has not been considerable.

Through the instrumentality of my friend, Mr. Roby, the Collector of her Majesty's Customs at Montego-Bay, I am enabled to insert the exact state of the weather in the interior of the parish of St. James.

January was dry, with squalls, 2d, 4th, and 22d; heavy rain on the 14th and 25th.

The lowest grade of the thermometer 68 deg., highest 82; winds in the Bay; the usual sea breeze till the 7th; on the 8th, north-easter; northerly from the 10th till the 13th.

February dry throughout, with strong breeze. Northerly wind prevailed, which interfered with the shipping, by obstructing the boats landing the cargoes—long rollers (waves) driving into the bay.

The thermometer during the month, which has been bleak and

windy, ranged between 68 and 80 deg.; during the night of the 11th, it was low as 60.

Trelawny is rather better than St. James, excepting on the sea-side properties—"The March winds and March dust are both familiar words and daily visitors, and it will be well if our agriculturists make as much sugar as they can, while the dry weather continues.

March—The weather has continued bleak; the thermometer was as low as 60 deg., and not higher than 80 about four miles from the town, on high lands within doors, with windows closed.

On the 28th—Most seasonable rain this morning at 2 a. m.—continued showers from 1 to 4, p. m. Pastures will be greatly benefitted, as well as the young cane-plants.

The prospect of a good crop every where.

At the military station, called Newcastle, about 3650 feet above the level of the sea, the weather has been dry; generally speaking, it is damp in the night and early in the morning, owing to the clouds, which cling to the higher peaks of the Blue Mountains.

For several days in the month of January, the thermometer at 8 o'clock in the morning was as low as 53 deg., and the average height during the early part of the month was 64.

At 12 o'clock it did not reach 80 deg. during the month; and the greatest altitude at 4 o'clock p. m. was 68.

During the month of February it was still colder, viz.—mean of the first observations, 58 deg. at 8 a. m.; mean of the second observations, 68 at noon; mean of the third observations, 66 at 4 p. m.—In March, about 6 in the morning, about 2 at noon, and 4 in the afternoon up to the 20th, the weather was something warmer.

For this valuable information I am indebted to Mr. Cleave, of the Royal Engineers.

From observations kept in 1844, by Sir Joshua Rowe, it appears that the temperature in Spanish-Town was as follows.

	mean of max.	mean of min.	mean.
January	80	70	74
February	78	70	73½
March	79	70	73½

Dr. Arnold's Report for Kingston for 1844 gives the following result.

January	84	76	80
February	82	76	79
March	84	76	80

## METEOROLOGICAL TABLE.

From Observations made in Kingston, and registered daily for the  
Royal Agricultural Society.—By Dr. Wm. Arnold.

## A P R I L.

Day of Month.	Thermometer.		Pluviometer.	Weather.
	Min.	Max.	Rain in Inches.	
1	78	86	—	Dry, fair
2	—	—	—	Dry, threatening
3	—	—	—	—
4	—	84	—	Fair a. m. rain and lightning
5	—	—	—	Dry, fair
6	—	—	—	—
7	—	—	—	Dry, windy
8	—	—	—	—
9	—	—	—	Dry, fair, sultry
10	—	—	0.5	Dry, rain, p.m.
11	—	—	—	Dry rain in the interior
12	—	—	—	—
13	—	—	0.3	— rain
14	—	—	0.5	Overcast with rain and lightg.
15	—	—	—	Dry, fair, windy
16	—	—	—	—
17	—	—	—	—
18	—	—	—	—
19	—	—	—	Dry, threatening
20	—	—	—	Light showers
21	—	—	—	Dry, fair, calm
22	—	—	—	Dry, fair
23	—	—	—	—
24	—	—	—	—
25	—	—	—	—
26	—	—	—	—
27	—	—	—	Threatening
28	—	—	—	—
29	—	—	—	Dry
30	—	—	—	Cloudy, threatening
Mean	78	84 6-30	Total 10.13	

## METEOROLOGICAL TABLE.

*Continued.*

M A Y.

Day of Month.	Thermometer.		Pluviometer.	Weather, &c.
	Min.	Max.	Rain in Inches.	
1	80	86	—	Threatening
2	—	—	—	Fair, dry, windy
3	—	—	0.7	Cloudy, with rain
4	—	—	—	Fair, dry
5	—	—	—	Threatening
6	—	—	—	Dry, fair
7	—	—	0.3	Cloudy, with rain
8	—	—	0.3	Ditto
9	—	—	—	Cloudy, mountain rain
10	—	—	—	Dry, fair
11	—	—	—	Ditto
12	—	—	0.5	Cloudy, with rain
13	—	—	—	Threatening
14	—	—	0.2	Ditto rain
15	—	—	—	Dry, fair, windy
16	—	—	—	Ditto
17	—	—	0.8	Ditto, rainy
18	—	—	—	Ditto, fair, windy
19	—	—	—	Ditto
20	—	—	—	Ditto
21	—	—	—	Ditto
22	—	—	—	Ditto
23	—	—	—	Ditto
24	—	—	0.5	Ditto, rain
25	—	—	—	Damp and cloudy
26	—	84	0.4	Cloudy, with rain
27	—	—	1.15	Ditto
28	78	80	0.5	Ditto
29	—	84	0.2	Cloudy, rainy night
30	80	—	0.2	Cloudy, damp, rain
31	—	—	0.3	Ditto, rain
Mean	79.27-3	85.15-31	Total 4.4	

## METEOROLOGICAL TABLE.

Continued.

## J U N E.

Day of Month.	Thermometer.		Pluviometer.	Weather, &c.
	Min.	Max.	Rain in inches.	
1	80	80	1.0	Cloudy, rain all day
2	—	83	—	Fair, dry
3	—	—	—	Cloudy, light rain
4	—	85	—	Fair, hazy p.m.
5	—	80	1.10	Rainy day and night
6	—	—	0.12	Squally, with rain
7	—	84	—	Threatening
8	—	85	—	Ditto, squalls south
9	—	—	—	Squalls, clear p.m.
10	—	87	—	Dry, sultry
11	—	—	—	Ditto
12	—	—	—	Cloudy a.m. fair, windy
13	—	—	—	Ditto, light rain
14	—	—	—	Dry, fine
15	—	—	—	—
16	—	—	—	—
17	—	—	—	—
18	—	88	—	Ditto, dry, windy
19	—	—	—	—
20	—	—	—	—
21	—	—	—	—
22	—	—	—	—
23	—	—	—	—
24	—	—	—	—
25	—	—	—	—
26	—	—	—	—
27	—	—	—	—
28	—	—	—	—
29	—	—	0.10	—
30	—	—	—	Ditto, rainy p.m.
Mean	80	86 15-30		

NOTE.—The Thermometer observed at 6 a.m. and 3 p.m. The rain is measured in inches and 20's of an inch.  
Total rain during the quarter 8.9.



## METEOROLOGICAL TABLE.

*Continued.*

JULY.

Day of Month.	Thermometer.		Pluvio- meter.	Weather and Remarks.
	Min.	Max.	20th of an in.	
1	80	88	...	{ Dry, sultry, calm, with much light- ning at night
2	...	...	...	The same, with ditto ditto
3	...	...	...	The same, with ditto ditto
4	...	...	10	The same, with rain at night
5	...	...	...	{ Cloudy, with light showers, lightning at night
6	...	...	...	Calm till 10 A.M. afterwards strong wind
7	...	...	...	The same
8	...	...	...	The same
9	...	...	...	The same
10	...	...	...	The same, light showers
11	...	...	...	{ Calm all day—much lightning and rain in the mountains
12	...	...	...	Dry, lightning with squalls P.M.
13	...	...	...	Clear, dry, windy
14	...	86	2	Variable, rain, with lightning P.M.
15	...	86	5	Cloudy and overcast, ditto P.M.
16	...	86	...	Fine, occasional light showers
17	...	88	...	Fine, dry, windy
18	...	...	...	The same
19	...	...	...	The same
20	...	...	...	The same, light showers p.m.
21	...	...	...	Fair, dry, cloudless
22	...	...	...	The same
23	...	...	...	The same
24	...	...	...	The same
25	...	...	...	The same
26	...	...	...	The same, light showers p.m.
27	...	...	...	The same
28	...	...	...	The same
29	...	...	...	The same
30	...	...	...	The same
31	...	...	...	The same, lightning at night
Mean	80	87.09	17	

## METEOROLOGICAL TABLE.

*Continued.*

## AUGUST.

Day of Month.	Thermometer.		Pluviometer. 20th of an inch.	Weather and Remarks.
	Min.	Max.		
1	80	88	...	Fair, dry, windy—lightning at night
2	...	...	...	The same
3	...	...	...	The same
4	...	...	...	The same
5	...	...	...	The same
6	...	...	...	The same
7	...	90	...	Threatening—showers p.m.
8	...	...	...	Clear, sultry, light S. E. wind
9	...	...	...	The same
10	...	...	...	The same
11	...	...	...	The same
12	...	...	...	The same
13	...	...	...	The same
14	...	...	...	The same—light shower at noon
15	...	...	...	Clear, dry, windy
16	...	...	...	The same—strong wind from the south
17	...	...	...	The same
18	...	...	...	The same
19	...	...	...	The same
20	...	...	...	The same
21	...	...	...	The same
22	...	...	8	The same—rainy afternoon
23	...	...	...	The same
24	...	...	...	Second hour, 40 min. p.m. earthquake
25	...	...	...	Calm
26	...	...	...	Light rain, with lightning p.m.
27	...	...	8	Rainy afternoon, with lightning
28	...	...	...	Dry, sultry—strong southerly wind
29	...	...	...	The same
30	...	...	...	The same
31	...	...	...	The same
Mean	86	89.09	16	

## METEOROLOGICAL TABLE.

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## SEPTEMBER.

Day of Month.	Thermometer.		Pluviometer.	Weather and Remarks.
	Min.	Max.	20th of an inch.	
1	80	90	...	Fair, dry, windy
2	...	...	8	Heavy rain, with lightning in afternoon
3	...	...	...	Dry, windy
4	...	...	...	The same
5	...	...	...	The same
6	...	...	...	The same
7	...	...	...	The same
8	...	...	...	The same
9	...	...	...	The same
10	...	...	...	The same
11	...	86	...	The same
12	...	86	...	The same
13	...	88	...	Dry, sultry, calm, light breeze p.m. S. E.
14	...	...	...	The same
15	...	...	...	The same
16	...	...	...	The same
17	...	...	...	The same, with strong breeze
18	...	...	...	The same
19	...	...	...	The same
20	...	...	...	The same
21	...	...	...	The same—lightning at night
22	...	...	...	The same—the same
23	...	...	...	The same—the same
24	...	...	...	The same—the same
25	...	...	8	Rain for an hour p.m. with lightning
26	...	...	...	Fair, dry sultry
27	...	...	...	The same
28	...	...	2	The same—light rain p.m.
29	...	...	...	The same—heavy clouds—dist. lightg.
30	...	...	...	The same—much lightning at night
Total	80	88.016	18	

## METEOROLOGICAL TABLE.

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## OCTOBER.

Day of Month.	Thermometer.		Pluviometer.		Weather and Remarks.
	Min.	Max.	Inches.	20ths.	
1	80	86	1	8	Cloudy with rain, and much lightg.
2	..	..	..	..	Fair day—rainy night, with lightg.
3	..	—	..	..	Idem idem
4	..	..	..	2	Fair morn.—rainy aftn. with lightg
5	..	..	..	2	Idem idem
6	..	82	..	4	Cloudy & overcast—idem
7	..	84	..	2	Idem idem
8	..	84	..	..	Fair, sultry—lightning at night
9	..	85	..	..	Idem, idem idem
10	..	83	..	..	Idem, idem idem
11	..	..	..	..	Idem, idem
12	..	85	..	..	Calm, dry, and sultry
13	..	86	..	..	Idem—light rain at night
14	..	82	..	10	Squally, with rain
15	..	86	..	..	Variable—dry
16	..	..	..	..	Fair—dry
17	..	..	..	..	Idem
18	..	88	..	..	Idem—sultry
19	..	..	..	..	Idem—idem
20	..	86	..	..	Idem—idem
21	..	88	..	..	{ Idem—light rain in the aftn. with some lightning
22	..	..	..	..	Idem—idem
23	..	..	..	..	Idem—sultry
24	..	..	..	..	Idem—idem
25	..	..	..	..	Idem—idem
26	..	..	..	..	Idem—idem
27	..	..	..	..	Idem—idem
28	..	..	..	..	Idem—idem
29	..	..	..	10	Fair morn.—rainy aftn. with lightg
30	..	..	..	10	Idem idem idem
31	..	..	..	10	Idem—rainy night, with lightning
Total	2480	2635	3	18	Mean minimum of the month, 80° Mean maximum of the month, 85°

NOTE.—In the upper part of Liguanea, about 400 feet above the sea, the mean minimum in this month was 74½; mean maximum 82½; rain 4 inches four-twentieths.

## METEOROLOGICAL TABLE.

*Continued.*

## NOVEMBER.

Day of Month.	Thermometer.		Pluvio-meter. 20th of an inch.	Weather and Remarks.
	Min.	Max.		
1	80	84	4	Fine, with some light showers
2	..	..	...	Fair—dry
3	...	..	..	Idem
4	...	85	...	Idem
5	..	86	...	Idem
6	..	..	...	Idem
7	..	..	...	Idem
8	..	..	...	Idem
9	..	..	...	Idem
10	..	..	...	Idem
11	..	..	...	Idem—lightning at night
12	..	..	...	Light showers morning—fair afternoon
13	..	..	...	Fair—dry
14	..	..	...	Idem
15	..	..	...	Idem
16	..	..	5	Overcast—cloudy—light rain & lightg.
17	..	..	...	Fair—dry—sultry
18	..	..	...	Calm—dry
19	..	..	...	Idem
20	..	..	...	Idem
21	..	..	...	Idem
22	..	..	...	Idem
23	..	..	...	Idem
24	..	..	...	Idem
25	..	..	...	Idem
26	..	..	...	Idem
27	..	..	8	Idem—rainy afternoon
28	..	..	...	Fair
29	..	..	...	Fair
30	..	..	...	Fair
Total	2400	2577	17	Mean minimum temperature for the month, 80° Mean maximum ditto, 85.27

NOTE.—Temperature in this month, at same place in Liguanea, mean of the minimum  $73\frac{1}{2}$ ; mean of the maximum  $82\frac{1}{2}$ ; rain 2 inches four-twentieths.

## METEOROLOGICAL TABLE.

Continued.

## DECEMBER.

Day of Month.	Thermometer.		Pluviometer.		Weather and Remarks.
	Min.	Max.	Inches.	20ths.	
1	80	86	...	...	Fair, dry, light wind
2	...	...	...	...	Idem, idem
3	...	...	...	...	Idem, idem
4	...	...	...	...	Idem, idem
5	...	...	...	...	Idem, idem
6	...	...	...	...	Idem, idem
7	...	...	...	...	Idem, idem
8	...	...	...	...	Idem, idem
9	...	...	...	...	Idem, idem
10	...	...	...	...	Idem, idem
11	...	...	...	...	Idem, idem
12	...	...	...	...	Idem, idem
13	...	...	...	...	Idem, idem
14	...	...	...	...	Idem, idem
15	...	...	...	...	Idem, idem
16	...	...	...	...	Idem, idem
17	...	...	...	...	Idem, idem
18	...	...	...	...	Idem, idem
19	...	...	1	10	Overcast—rainy night
20	...	82	...	...	Fair pleasant weather
21	...	85	...	...	Idem
22	...	...	...	...	Idem
23	...	...	...	...	Idem
24	...	...	...	...	Idem, strong breeze
25	...	84	...	...	Idem
26	...	...	...	...	Idem
27	...	...	...	...	Idem
28	...	...	...	...	Idem
29	...	...	...	...	Idem
30	...	...	...	6	Idem—rainy afternoon
31	...	...	...	...	
Total	2480	2644	1	16	Mean of the minimum 80.00 Mean of the Maximum 85.09

NOTE.—Temperature in this month, at same place in Liguanea, mean of the minimum  $72\frac{1}{2}$ ; mean of the maximum  $81\frac{3}{4}$ ; rain 1 inch one-twentieth.

## KINGSTON & LIGUANEA WATER WORKS.

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### REPORT OF THE CONTRACTOR TO THE CHAIRMAN AND DIRECTORS.

GENTLEMEN.

In accordance with your wish, I have with the assistance of your Secretary, prepared the following report, explanatory of my plan for supplying the city of Kingston, and certain parts of the Parish of St. Andrew, with pure and wholesome water. I have considered it necessary to enter fully into the subject, being extremely anxious to satisfy not only yourselves and the Shareholders of the Company, but also the public, of the practicability of the plan. A more *detailed* statement of the contemplated works will, of course, be contained in the specifications embodied in my contract with the Company.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen, Your very Obedient Servant.

ROBERT HANCOCK.

December, 10, 1845.

Somerset-Lodge, St. Andrew's,

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### R E P O R T.

Considering that it will be most appropriate, I will commence by explaining the situation of the source from which I propose to derive a supply of water, and the means by which I shall make that supply available for the objects of the Company.

The intended source is situated at Somerset Lodge, my property, which adjoins Barbican, and is at the upper part of the plain of Liguanea, about 420 feet above the level of the sea — At a convenient spot, I propose to sink a shaft or well 16 feet in diameter, and to a depth of from 140 to 160 feet. The surface stratum consists of diluvial gravel and sand, below which are beds of clay and sand, containing an abundance of water. From the sides of this well, I shall make horizontal drift ways or tunnels, about 6 feet in height and 4 feet in width, extending to a considerable distance to the Eastward and Westward, along the

base of the mountains which rise immediately to the North.—The length of these tunnels will depend on the quantity of water obtained

This well, and the tunnels, will, I anticipate, afford sufficient water; but if there be occasion, further tunnels in different directions may also be made, or the two before mentioned may be extended. These tunnels will be feeders to the well in the same manner as if several wells in any district were connected with a main well by tunnels.

The surface level near Somerset Lodge falls no less than 180 feet, in a distance of about 100 chains to the westward, and I shall therefore, availing myself of this favorable circumstance, continue the westward tunnel, giving it a slight fall and diminishing its size, until it opens out on the surface of the plain of Liguanea, at or near to the Stoney Hill Road above the Cross Roads, at Half-Way Tree. The water from the well and feeders will flow through this tunnel into the first reservoir, with which it will be connected by a conduit of brickwork. This reservoir will be constructed on land part of Mr. P. Lundie's Pen, at Half-Way Tree, and will be made to contain 50,000 gallons of water.

As Mr. Lundie's Pen is 230 feet above the level of the sea, the water can be delivered into the reservoir, even if the well be 185 feet in depth, without the aid of any machinery.

The elevation of the first reservoir being 230 feet, it will supply water to all the Pens, &c., on the same or a lower level.

I propose to connect this reservoir with two connected reservoirs at Montgomery's corner, by iron pipes laid along the existing road.

The connected reservoirs will be of sufficient size to contain 1,950,000 gallons of water, and being at an elevation of 200 feet above the sea, will deliver water at the tops of the highest houses in Kingston, and at the surrounding Pens.

In ordinary wells, which seldom exceed 4 to 5 feet in diameter, the supply of water is derived from the strata actually perforated, and from such parts of the strata as surround the well. The distance from whence the water with which the strata are charged, will flow into a well, depends on the quantity of water present, and on the degree of resistance offered to its passage.—If a well be in constant use, that resistance is likely to be diminished by the opening of the pores and fissures through which the water percolates. It is notorious that the supply of water from a well seldom used is liable to fail. The constant flow of water from the well and feeders which I propose to construct, may therefore be considered very favorable as regards an increasing supply of water.



The quantity of water afforded by a well of 16 feet diameter independently of any tunnels, must necessarily be greater than that in one of the usual size—a much more extensive area must be drained in the former than in the latter case.

If in ordinary wells, sunk to the water-bearing strata beneath the plain of Liguanea one square foot of area give but three-and-a-half gallons of water per hour (the quantity in many wells in Kingston, is considerably more) 12,201 square feet of area (the extent which I propose to make available to the Company) will afford no less than 1,024,289 gallons in 24 hours.

Having stated my plan for obtaining water, I will describe the nature of springs generally; and my reasons for concluding that a sufficient supply of water can be had from the locality specified. I will then shew that works similar to those contemplated by the Company have been successfully executed in other countries.

I cannot do better than explain the Phenomena of Springs in the language of living authors of great authority. Mr. LYELL, in his principles of Geology, thus describes the origin of Springs:—"Every one is familiar with the fact, that certain porous soils, such as loose sand and gravel, absorb water with rapidity, and that the ground composed of them soon dries up after heavy showers. If a well be sunk in such soils, we often penetrate to considerable depths before we meet with water; but this is usually found on our approaching the lower parts of the formation, where it rests on some impervious bed; for here the water unable to make its way downwards in a direct line, accumulates as in a reservoir, and is ready to ooze out into any opening which may be made, in the same manner as we see the salt water flow into and fill any hollow which we dig in the sands of the shore at low tide." Mr. Lyell adds,—“that the generality of springs owe their supply to the atmosphere, is evident from this, that they become languid or entirely cease to flow, after long drought, and are again replenished after a continuance of rain. Many of them are probably indebted for the constancy and uniformity of their volume to the great extent of the subterranean reservoirs with which they communicate, and the time required for these to empty themselves by percolation.”

PROFESSOR JOHNSTON writing on the same subject, says:—"The rain which falls on the surface of an extensive tract of country partly escapes into the rivers, and partly sinks into the earth. This latter portion descends through the covering of soils and other loose materials, till it reaches the rocks on which they rest. If these rocks are porous, like many sandstones, or are traversed by cracks and vertical fissures, as many sandstones

are, it descends through them also till it reaches a bed such as one of indurated clay, so close and compact as to resist its further passage. By this *impervious* bed, the water is arrested, and is, therefore, compelled to spread itself laterally, and gradually to accumulate in the beds that lie above it."

In further illustration of this interesting question, I may quote from the report of Sir H. De la Beche, on the geology of Cornwall and West Somerset, published by order of the Lords of the Treasury in 1839. In this work a table is given of the greatest and best quantities of water discharged per minute from the mines in 1837. The table points out the months in which the greatest quantity of water necessary to be pumped up prevails. The author in his remarks on this table observes,— "that the greatest quantity of water in the mines, as we might expect, is found after the winter (rainy) months, produced by the percolation of water, during that season into them, and shewing that it is to the top or surface (rain) water that the variation of the quantity in mines is chiefly due."

I may mention that the water discharged from the mines in 1837 by the steam engines, whose performance is reported in what is called the duty paper, is stated by Sir H. De la Beche to have been no less than 36,900,712 tons.

That there is an abundant supply of water in the strata below the surface of the plain of Liguanea is sufficiently proved by the existence of numerous wells in and about Kingston, and if we consider the Geological structure of the plain and surrounding mountains that supply is readily accounted for.

The quantity of rain which falls in the part of this island under our notice, particularly in the high lands,\* and the absence of all surface drainage by streams or rivers, from Rock Fort on the east, to the Ferry River on the west, must lead to the conclusion that there is water in abundance below the plain of Liguanea. The rain falling on the surface of the higher lands (excepting in cases of extraordinary floods) must be absorbed at the surface or escape in the fissures of the mountains, from whence the greater part doubtless find its way, by percolation beneath the plain, to the sea. Along the base of the mountains some of this water is found to issue, but only to be again rapidly absorbed by the porous surface strata, through which it flows to the sea—intercepted only by the wells in Kingston and its vicinity.

\* The mean annual quantity of rain in England is reckoned to be 32 inches—it is supposed not to be less in the St. Andrew's Mountains than 80 inches.

The Geological character of the plain of Liguanea and surrounding mountains is favorable for the collection of water beneath the plain.

Part of the plain is bounded on the north by the white limestone, which is thus described by Sir Henry de la Beche in his memoir published in the transactions of the Geological Society of London.

The mountains which join the elevated land of Stoney Hill with those of St. Catherine, and which bound the plain of Liguanea for a considerable distance on the North, belong to the white limestone formation. On the Southern ascent to Stoney Hill compact white limestone, in some places associated with red sandstone, dips to the S. S. E.

The white limestone is continued but a short distance Eastward from Stoney Hill. I have however observed a small portion of it resting upon sycuite near Somerset Estate.

"The long Mountain situated to the N. E. of Kingston rises principally from beneath diluvial gravel, and is wholly formed of white limestone: the dip is difficult to trace, yet markings may here and there be observed which would seem to make it probable that it is to the S. W." I may add that I have found the dip of the diluvial strata at and near Somerset favourable to the under flow of water in the direction of the proposed works at the company's source with regard to the white limestone formation.

Sir Henry de la Beche remarks:—"The white limestone formation of Jamaica is characterised by being hollowed into innumerable holes and caverns, among which the waters which fall into the districts composed of it are lost; hence arises the general scarcity of springs in that part of Jamaica principally composed of those rocks, and the necessity the inhabitants of such parts are under of making tanks to preserve a supply of water. The portions of country occupied by the white limestone formation are in a great measure shewn upon a good map of Jamaica by a great want of rivers, while the latter are numerous in the districts composed of other rocks."

The higher mountains encircling the plain of Liguanea consist of rocks of older formation than the white limestone, dipping on the Southern ascent to the S. or S. W. and therefore favorable to the flow of the absorbed surface water in the direction of the plain.\*

\* The meeting of the debris washed down from the white limestone, and the older rocks is plainly discernable in the Gully at Somerset—the debris from the former is whitish, and from the latter of a bluish colour.

"The Hope River says Sir Henry de la Beche, with the Mammee River, which falls into it, drains a considerable portion of the St. Andrew's Mountains, and loses itself when the waters are low among the Liguanea gravels, where the latter meet the solid strata of the mountains, but, when swollen by heavy tropical rains, the river rushes with considerable force through the defile near the Hope Tavern."

The Wag Water and Mammee Rivers probable contribute to the supply of water found beneath the plain of Liguanea. The sources of those Rivers are behind the ridge immediately to the North of Somerset, and are considerably above the plain, their waters may escape through the fissures of the ridge.

I now proceed to shew that works, similar to those I propose to construct, are in actual operation in other countries.

In a work entitled "Sketch of the Civil Engineering of North America," by David Stevenson, and published in London in 1838, under the head "Water Works," the manner in which the city of New-York was then supplied\* with water from wells is described.

The author says "one well belonging to the Corporation is 113 feet in depth. For the purpose of collecting water, there are three horizontal passages leading from the bottom of the well, which measure 4 feet in width and 6 feet in height; two of them are 75, and the third is 100 feet in length.\*\*\* This mode of collecting water in subterraneous galleries, says the author, has been successfully practised in this country (England) on a great scale, at the Water Works of Liverpool, by Mr. Grahame, the Engineer to Harrington Water Company."

At a meeting of the Institution of Civil Engineers held in London on the 31st May, 1842, Mr. Fred. Braithwaite presented and explained a model of a well sunk by him in the year 1841, at Messrs. Reid's Brewery, in order to obtain water from the *Chalk*, which had become indispensable in consequence of the decrease of the supply of water from the *sand spring*.—From the account of this well, we make the following extracts:—

"After preliminary proceedings, the excavation of the chalk was continued, increasing the dimensions at every foot in depth, until at 178 feet from the surface, the diameter was 16 feet 2 inches; the excavation was continued at that diameter to a depth of 202 feet from the surface. In the progress of the works, water was found in certain beds of flints, and the total supply at that period was 72,000 gallons per day of 24 hours.

At 196 feet from the surface, the first tunnel was driven 91

\* The Croton Water-Works were not finished till 1842.

feet N. W. in the direction of another well, which only increased the supply 14,400 gallons in 24 hours. Into a particular bed of flints, at 154 feet from the surface yielding the largest quantity of water, (10,800 gallons per day) a second tunnel was driven 6 feet high by 5 feet wide, for 16 feet E to W. and then N. and S. for 108 feet, by which an increase of 54,000 gallons per day was obtained.

Having ascertained, by boring, that a further supply of water could be obtained at 20 feet below, the excavation was continued 22 feet deeper, by 7 feet diameter, when water was found flowing from two horizontal fissures in the chalk; at that depth two tunnels were driven, one N.W., connected with the before-mentioned tunnel of 91 feet, by which an increase of 121,600 gallons per day was secured;--the second tunnel in a S.E. direction, was driven for 24 feet, which gave a further increase of 28,800 gallons per day.

The total quantity of water thus obtained was 277,200 gallons per day of 24 hours, or 192 gallons per minute.

At a meeting of the same Institution, held in London in January, 1843, a paper was read, describing the mode adopted for sinking a well at Messrs. Freeman's brewery. Mr. Braithwaite on this occasion explained the difference between that mode and the method employed in sinking the well for Messrs. Reid & Co. In the former the base was small, and would therefore only produce as much water as was procured from the veins through which it passed vertically; while the latter, by its larger diameter, permitted lateral galleries to be driven in the direction of the fissures in the chalk: thus forming feeders for the well. Mr. Braithwaite added that the New River Company had been advised to sink a well of sufficient diameter to enable them to excavate lateral galleries.

Mr. Vignoles remarked that the same question, as to the relative merits of boring or sinking, had been discussed at Liverpool, for wells in the red sandstone, and in practice it had universally been found that, by the latter system, the best supply of water had been procured, particularly when side drifts had been made.

Mr. Mylne coincided in the opinion of the advantages of a well of large diameter over one of small bore, as it permitted side excavations to be made in search of water. This plan had been pursued with success at Brighton.

Mr. Taylor observed that another of the advantages of the large diameter was, that the proceeding could be watched and accidents could be more readily remedied, and that the opinion of all practical miners was that the large diameter was cheaper as well as better, than the small bore.

Mr. R. Stephenson in his report dated Dec. 1840, to the Provisional Committee of the then proposed London and Westminster Water Works, after explaining his reasons for believing that the chalk strata contain a great abundance of water, adds "*I have not the slightest doubt, that by sinking a deep well, and extending tunnels, or drifts in the proper direction from its bottom, the necessary supply will be fully accomplished*"

Mr. Stephenson, in his second report, addressed to the same parties, dated 1842, gives the particulars of the means employed for the supplying of several important towns with water, from which I have derived the following information.

Brighton Water Works.—A well has been sunk to the depth of 97 feet : at 16 feet above the bottom of the well there are 4 adits driven in from the sides of the well to the extent of 46 feet each and about 6 feet square ; they are driven N. S. E. and West ; the water flows into these adits from fissures in the chalk, in very considerable quantities, and appeared to flow towards the sea.

The water is raised by an engine of 20 horse power, lifting 231,840 gallons per 12 hours.

Deal and Walmer Water Works.—The supply of water is obtained from a well 120 feet deep, and 6 feet diameter ; there are 2 wells—one 110 feet deep, and the other 120 feet, which are connected together by a tunnel driven from within 4 or 5 feet of the bottom of the deeper well to the bottom of the other ; from this tunnel a very copious supply is obtained at all times. The water as raised by an 8 horse power engine, lifting 115,200 gallons in 12 hours.

Ramsgate.--This town is supplied principally from a well in the chalk, the depth is 183 feet, of an oval shape 9 and 6 feet diameter, the lower 25 feet is enlarged to 25 feet diameter, from the sides of which there are 2 tunnels--one 42 feet long, and the other 25 feet, which supply an abundance of water. The water is raised by a 12 horse power engine, lifting 153,720 gallons per 12 hours

Gravesend. —The town is supplied by a well sunk in the chalk to the depth of 138 feet, at the bottom of which there is a tunnel, from which the springs issue. The water is raised by an 8 horse power engine, lifting 140,000 per 12 hours.

Mr. Stephenson, in the same report, remarks :--

"I grant at once that the quantity of water viz. 8,000,000 gallons per day, which it is now proposed to raise from a shaft or shafts sunk in the chalk has no precise precedent--but surely this admission is no argument against the possibility ; on the contrary, I hold that the fair deduction from the above record

of facts is, that *this or a much larger supply may be obtained from the chalk* from prosecuting the sinking of shafts much deeper than has hitherto been attempted, together with the extension of horizontal driftways from the bottom of the shafts."

I have been informed by a gentleman, now in this island, that the city of Bath is supplied with water by means of three sets of works--each consisting of horizontal tunnels driven into the face of the hills which surround the city, with reservoirs to receive the water issuing from them.

It appears to me highly probable that the plan I have proposed for supplying Kingston and part of the parish of St. Andrew with water, may successfully be adopted in many parts of this island. The construction of lateral tunnels in existing wells may be a ready and comparatively inexpensive means of obtaining an increased supply of water--far preferable to deepening the wells.

It is scarcely necessary for me to mention that making a well with tunnels is nothing more than a common mining operation.

In mines, vertical shafts are sunk from which horizontal galleries are driven. In the search for minerals, water is found, and must be removed. This is commonly done by powerful steam engines, but where the surface level of the country admits of it, particularly in the vicinity of the sea, the water is raised only to the mouth of a tunnel made at a level at which the water will run off.

"The extension of the under ground workings of a mine" says Mr. Stephenson "and the concomitant increase in the supply of water, are equally calculated to bring to the mind the overpowering conviction, that similar results would inevitably follow the adoption of deeper shafts, and a more extended system of drifts than have hitherto been attempted in the chalk."

In conclusion, I have only to say that my confidence in the success of the undertaking has been confirmed since I have more closely studied the working details, than I had when first I made proposals to you. The extent of my confidence however has been I trust sufficiently shewn from the commencement of our negotiations, by my offer to incur considerable liability with respect to the preliminary works.

## Return of Imports.

Return of Imports into Jamaica, during the year ended 30th September, 1845.

NAMES OF P O R T.	Gallons Brandy.	Gallons Gin.	Barrels Flour.	Barrels Cornmeal.	Barrels Bread.	Bars ditto.	Cwt. ditto	Lbs. Rice.	Bags Rice.	Bags Corn.	Casks of dry Fish.	Boxes dry Fish.	Tierces dry Fish.	Barrels pickled Fish.
Kingston	47,715	2005	66,653	13,011	11,912	82	—	451,320	17,318	56,606	9037	17,946	5601	21,110
Morant-Bay	225	12	255	30	—	—	93	16,862	—	784	—	251	359	413
Port-Antonio	—	—	155	10	48	—	39	112	—	469	824	1269	138	1424
Annotto-Bay	—	—	315	50	70	—	48	4,524	—	291	122	678	303	1641
Port-Maria	118	—	1,442	60	—	—	198	21,405	—	2616	—	—	—	1257
St. Ann's Bay	59	—	1,935	175	—	—	161	11,268	—	2350	52	160	101	594
Rio-Bueno	297	64	—	—	—	—	—	—	255	—	—	—	—	30
Falmouth	2378	1749	34,720	3706	659	—	—	—	1654	8090	3897	2604	—	5092
Montego-Bay	1324	529	8,958	1474	1460	—	977	103,746	—	3346	1196	1725	774	2184
Sav.-la-Mar	285	51	1,670	404	304	—	67	63,801	100	1228	140	284	217	806
Lucea	111	40	424	60	—	—	39	46,465	—	194	31	130	5	61
Black-River	419	64	500	90	108	—	—	8,190	—	20	3	3	50	402
Old-Harbour	—	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	190	—	—	—	—	57
Total	52,931	4526	117,027	19,070	14,561	82	1622	727,693	19,518	75,946	15,302	25,050	7548	35,071



# Return of Imports—continued.

Firkins pickled Fish.	W. O. Slaves.	R. O. Slaves.	Shingles.	Lumber.	Wood Hoops.	Barrels Beef.	Barrels Pork.	Firkins Butter & Lard.	Boxes Candles.	Boxes Soap.	Horses.	Mules.	Asses.	Cattle.	Tonnage.
426	31,000	146,000	3,885,411	5,235,566	212,470	1486	10,855	25,406	19,237	43,963	296	27	260	1037	75,638
—	33,950	169,000	625,850	404,409	83,800	45	40	132	83	138	—	—	—	98	5,106
—	17,740	26,400	85,625	97,850	11,650	22	81	55	4	2	—	—	—	—	2,156
—	1,950	—	148,000	51,628	47,750	42	66	105	64	27	—	—	—	—	1,718
—	78,855	111,263	410,605	322,671	89,450	87	39	91	121	74	13	—	3	98	5,568
—	75,456	—	131,600	167,662	56,350	163	323	201	154	92	—	—	—	5	2,903
—	—	—	—	—	15,940	9	13	22	124	11	—	—	—	—	1,393
124	164,600	133,900	920,582	943,648	98,800	311	805	1856	2325	2313	84	—	—	—	11,508
—	131,600	237,650	859,875	772,878	99,350	206	2155	1267	1469	4392	55	63	2	360	9,060
—	55,952	121,288	304,600	508,348	62,275	94	408	181	217	684	4	—	—	160	2,439
—	12,000	20,400	82,000	134,832	44,050	50	155	244	118	295	4	—	1	—	4,015
—	—	—	181,000	77,700	83,250	52	237	140	89	196	—	—	—	56	590
—	—	—	32,900	291,029	96,300	55	66	76	40	90	—	—	—	122	3,927
550	602,630	965,901	7,668,048	9,008,221	951,435	2622	15,243	29,776	24,045	52,277	456	90	266	1937	125,421

## Return of Imports—continued.

*Return, shewing the Staple Exports of Jamaica, between the 10th day of October, 1844, and the 10th day of October, 1845.*

	SUGAR.			RUM.			MO- LASSES.	GINGER.		PIMENTO.		COFFEE.	
	Hhds.	Trs.	Brls.	Phns.	Hds.	Cks.		Cks.	Bags	Cks.	Bags.	Lbs.	
Kingston and Old-Harbour.....	10,545	946	2608	3562	38	18	—	115	1105	127	3,706	3,290,019	
Morant-Bay and Port-Morant...	3,877	378	530	994	—	—	—	61	—	—	—	4,236	
Port-Antonio.....	380	159	30	272	—	—	—	—	—	—	120	3,000	
Port-Maria and Annoto-Bay....	5,384	610	105	1804	1	3	—	32	—	2	2,845	3,439	
Falmouth, Rio-Buono, and St. } Ann's Bay.....	10,415	1599	903	4767	3	116	—	298	—	6	43,232	422,130	
Montego-Bay and Lucea.....	7,934	1291	447	3135	55	84	15	846	—	—	3,677	20,200	
Sav.-la-Mar and Black-River...	4,931	806	174	2321	25	44	—	2154	24	98	5,904	1,278,185	
Total.....	43,466	5789	4797	16,855	152	265	15	3506	1129	233	59,494	5,021,209	

Total..... 43,406 | 5789 | 4797 | 16,855 | 159 | 305 | 15 | 2506 | 1129 | 2119 | 26492 | 2,021,509

*Total amount of Duties collected by the Officers of her Majesty's Customs at the several ports in the Island of Jamaica, under the Acts hereinafter specified, between the 10th day of October, 1844, and the 10th day of October, 1845, distinguishing each Act and Port.—Sterling at 4s. 2d. per dollar.*

*Total amount of Duties collected.*

	Total Duties under British Acts, 5th & 6th Vic. c. 49, 8th & 9th Vic. c. 93.			Total Duties under Island Acts, 7th Vic. c. 17, and 8th Vic. c. 14.			Grand Total during the year ended the 10th Oct. 1845		
	16,559	1	7	123,199	1	5	139,758	3	0
Kingston and Old-Harbour	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,985	14	7
Morant-Bay and Port Morant	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,394	0	4
Port-Antonio	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,604	0	10
Port-Maria and Annotto-Bay	...	...	...	...	...	...	22,375	15	7
Falmouth, Rio-Bueno, and St. Ann's Bay	...	...	...	...	...	...	16,026	18	0
Montego-Bay and Lucea	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,580	12	3
Savanna-la-Mar and Black-River	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	23,822	10	1	167,902	14	6	191,725	4	7

## A TABULAR RETURN of EXPORTS from JAMAICA for

Year when exported.	SUGAR.	RUM.	MOLAS- SES.	GINGER	PIMENTO	COFFEE.
	Hhds.	Puns.	Casks.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.
1808	132,333	53,507	379	394,400	823,980	29,528,273
1809	114,630	44,850	230	1,229,140	4,465,200	25,586,668
1810	112,208	43,335	293	485,720	3,429,240	25,885,285
1811	138,292	55,098	446	803,640	2,763,720	17,460,068
1812	113,173	44,111	151	574,900	1,141,600	18,481,986
1813	104,558	45,604	208	579,360	1,925,640	24,613,572
1814	109,158	44,598	145	642,160	1,356,240	34,045,585
1815	127,269	54,221	242	946,540	3,438,240	27,362,742
1816	100,382	36,416	166	1,311,160	3,518,820	17,289,393
1817	123,766	48,776	254	1,824,020	2,068,320	14,793,706
1818	121,758	50,827	407	1,391,040	2,697,900	25,329,456
1819	116,344	45,333	253	943,160	3,098,760	14,901,983
1820	122,922	46,393	252	617,420	1,666,740	22,127,444
1821	119,560	47,870	167	524,520	3,199,560	16,819,761
1822	94,515	29,403	144	454,140	2,366,460	19,773,912
1823	101,271	36,244	614	527,700	2,918,640	20,326,445
1824	106,009	38,760	910	1,121,240	4,104,540	27,677,239
1825	79,090	28,747	894	2,015,260	2,614,140	24,254,656
1826	106,742	37,622	549	2,924,040	2,065,920	20,352,886
1827	87,399	33,570	204	2,464,300	3,785,400	25,741,520
1828	101,575	38,235	189	2,724,480	3,762,780	22,216,786
1829	97,893	37,430	66	2,070,660	6,543,900	22,234,640
1830	100,205	35,025	154	1,748,800	5,560,620	22,256,950
1831	94,881	36,411	230	1,614,640	3,172,320	14,055,350
1832	98,686	33,685	799	2,355,560	4,024,800	19,815,010
1833	85,101	34,976	755	2,811,760	8,423,100	9,866,060
1834	84,756	32,111	486	2,976,420	3,605,400	17,725,731
1835	77,970	27,530	300	2,050,840	7,284,660	10,593,018
1836	67,094	20,536	182	2,620,280	5,654,340	13,446,053
1837	61,505	21,976	173	2,759,840	5,744,220	8,955,178
1838	69,613	25,380	149	2,567,640	2,708,640	13,551,795
1839	49,243	16,072	18	1,669,200	3,812,760	8,897,421
1840	33,066	11,472	18	1,400,800	3,063,980	7,279,670
1841	34,491	11,769	51	1,834,120	3,595,380	6,433,370
1842	50,295	16,566	109	2,008,300	3,753,960	7,084,914
1843	44,169	15,046	177	1,456,725	3,546,720	7,367,113
1844	34,444	11,631	92	1,993,600	1,462,440	7,148,775
1845	47,926	16,997	15	1,888,480	7,181,220	5,021,209

Years, ending the 10th October, 1845.

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REMARKS.

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Storm in October 1812.

Largest Coffee Crop.

Storm in October, 1815, which ravaged Surrey.

Storm in October, 1818, which ravaged Cornwall.

Extreme drought in 1821.

Mr. Canning's resolutions relative to slavery in the West Indies.

Severe drought in 1824, the previous year.

Emancipation Act passed. Largest Pimento Crop.

Seasons favorable. Apprenticeship system commenced 1st Aug.

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Entire emancipation, 1st August.

Favorable seasons, but the canes not taken off.

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## FEES OF PUBLIC OFFICERS.

## COURT OF CHANCERY.

## MASTERS' FEES.

5 VICTORIA, CAP. 20.—1841.

## SCHEDULE A.

	<i>Sterling.</i> £. s. d.		commission, issuing £. s. d.
For an affidavit on oath to answer petition for receiver, injunction, or other special matter or motion, and for his trouble in examining them respectively, and making erasures and interlineations therein, or in documents thereto annexed, for each deponent	0 16 0	For drafting examination, per every legal sheet of ninety words	3 0 0
For all other affidavits, each	0 1 0	For copying and transcribing fair the examination or examinations of any witnesses to be by them signed, per sheet of ninety words	0 4 6
For every recognizance entered into for any purpose under any order of court, including the time necessary for inquiring into the nature and extent of the property, taking and making out the recognizance, the justification of the surety or sureties, and all of which shall be the duty of the master to do	1 10 0	For perusing brief, bill, answers, orders, and decrees, in any cause referred to him (save and except references of receivers or trustees annual accounts)	0 1 9
For his attendance in taking the examination of witnesses, under and by virtue of any order, decree, or		For drafting reports on accounts in chief, or other enquiries under any order or decree of the court, to be made from and after the 31st December, 1841, including all accounts of real estate, of which the accounts shall be directed to be taken and stated for any period preceding the date of such order of reference, per sheet of ninety words	3 0 0
		For every warrant, requisition, or summons	0 4 6

	£.	s.	d.		£.	s.	d.
for the parties to attend before them, or produce books or vouchers	0	3	0	repuiring same, and to be taxed and allowed as aforesaid	0	1	0
For every certificate signed by any master, and for every notice of taking and stating accounts	0	3	0	For drawing out every advertisement inserted by the master, including copy	1	10	0
For every exhibit, marked or signed by him, and made in proof when a cause shall be at commission, and for examining and marking any and every accounts or vouchers exhibited before him in proof of any account or matter before him	0	1	6	For making all conditions of sale under decrees	3	0	0
For an engrossed copy of his report to be returned to the court, per sheet of ninety words	0	1	0	For their trouble of attending the sale of any lands or other premises, by virtue of or under any order or decree of the said court, for each day's attendance at such sale if in Spanish Town	5	0	0
For fair copy of reports for perusal of the parties to be always retained in the master's office, per sheet of ninety words	0	1	0	But if such sale shall take place elsewhere, at the instance of the complainants, or by the order and direction of the court, such masters shall be respectively entitled to ten shillings sterling per mile from their office to the place of sale, as and for their travelling expences (exclusive of the fee of five pounds per day,) attending such sale			
For a copy of the said report if required by the parties or their solicitors, to be paid for by them, per sheet of ninety words, and which said copy shall be taxed and allowed by the register in the solicitor's bill of costs	0	1	0	For perusing and signing every conveyance under decree	2	0	0
For signing and making up their report	2	0	0	For postage of letters, packages of accounts, and papers, which may be paid for by the master.			
For copies of any vouchers at and after the rate of ninety words per sheet, to be paid for by the party							

## SCHEDULE B.

For all annual accounts of receivers, trustees, or guardians, already referred to the masters,



or which hereafter may be referred to them, commencing from and after the date of the order of reference, including a copy for the perusal of the parties	£. s. d.	For a coffee settlement making more than fifty tierces of 600 weight, 112lbs. to the hundred, the sum of	£. s. d.
For passing, enquiring into, or making the annual report of any estate not shipping or selling more than 50 hogsheads of 1600 weight, 112lbs the hundred, the sum of	20 0 0	For a coffee settlement making more than fifty and not making more than eighty of such tierces, the sum of	30 0 0
For an estate making more than fifty, and not shipping or selling more than one hundred such hogsheads	36 0 0	For a coffee settlement making more than eighty, and not making more than one hundred such tierces	36 0 0
For an estate making more than one hundred and not shipping or selling more than one hundred and fifty such hogsheads	42 0 0	For a coffee settlement making upwards of one hundred of such tierces	42 0 0
For an estate making more than one hundred and fifty, and not shipping or selling more than two hundred such hogsheads	48 0 0	For any pen or other settlement	24 0 0
For an estate making more than two hundred, and not shipping or selling more than two hundred and fifty such hogsheads	54 0 0	For any copy of accounts or any voucher or document for parties requiring the same, for which such party shall pay the master per sheet of ninety words	0 1 0
For an estate making more than two hundred and fifty, and not shipping or selling more than three hundred such hogsheads	60 0 0	For such postages as the master may be liable to pay, packages of accounts, and letters	
And for any other sugar estate, let the crop be what it may beyond that number	66 0 0		

**PRACTITIONERS IN SUPERIOR COURTS AND CONVEYANCERS.**

6 VICTORIA, CHAP. 23.—1842.

**SCHEDULE A.**

**SOLICITORS' FEES.**

	£. s. d.
Attendance, receiving instructions, or other trouble to prepare bill,	

£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
answer, petition signed by counsel, special motions, and affidavits in answer to petition and special motions	5	0	0	Daily attendance during term while cause expected to come on	0 15 0
Drawing bill, answer, petition, affidavit, order, writ of execution, or other proceedings in chancery, per legal sheet	0	3	0	Attendance at sales by order of court, per hour	0 15 0
Fair copy per sheet	0	1	6	Attendance of solicitor and clerk at registrar's office, to compare enrolment of final decree with original proceedings, per hour	0 15 0
Engrossments	0	2	6	Drafting deed under decree, per legal sheet of ninety words	0 3 0
Making brief per sheet	0	2	0	Engrossing same per ditto ditto	0 2 6
Drawing abstract of pleadings per sheet, charging by the length of the paper abstracted	0	2	0	Writing letters not exceeding two sides	0 6 8
All common attendances, each in term	0	7	6	Each additional side	0 3 4
Out of term	0	15	0		
Attendance on master in pursuance of notice, perusing report, or other proceedings	1	10	0	SCHEDULE B. ATTORNEYS' FEES.	
Copies of subpoenas, masters' or other notices, summons, or other common orders for service	0	6	0		
All affidavits of service of process on one person or other common affidavits	0	7	6	Receiving instructions, and perusing and examining vouchers and documents on which to found or oppose proceedings, if an hour, or less than an hour	0 15 0
For each additional person	0	3	0	For each additional hour	0 15 0
Petitions in common replications, rejoinders, suggestions, or general demurrer	1	16	0	Making out action on common counts	0 15 0
Common notices under one sheet	0	7	6	Copy of service	0 7 6
Common motions, each	0	7	6	Copies of particulars and of accounts, per sheet	0 1 6
Each copy ditto	0	3	0	Drafts of all pleadings, and other proceedings, not herein particularly specified, per sheet	0 3 0
Attendance at hearings or arguments, per hour	0	15	0	Fair copy	0 1 6
				Engrossments	0 2 6
				Drawing and engrossing plea of general issue, admission of judgment, suggestions, or common similiters	0 7 6

	£.	s.	d.		£.	s.	d.
Making brief pleadings	0	2	0	For every writ of summons or arrest	0	2	0
for counsel, per sheet				For making out each writ of venditioni, execution, or other common writ	0	7	6
Demurrer books, same as briefs				Each copy	0	3	0
Drawing case for brief, per sheet	0	2	6	Making out replevin bonds, or other common bonds	0	15	0
Fair copy for counsel	0	1	6	Each copy	0	7	6
Each necessary attendance in court or at public offices	0	4	0	Drawing up common motion or rule	0	7	6
All common attendance in term time	0	4	0	Each copy	0	3	9
Out of term	0	10	0	Writ of subpœna ad testificandum	0	7	6
Attendance in court at trial of contested causes and other special arguments, or at consultation with counsel, or upon execution of any commission for examining witnesses, per hour or less	0	10	0	Each copy	0	3	0
For every additional hour	0	10	0	Subpœna with ducis tecum clause, additional	0	3	0
Attendance of clerk also in court taking down examinations of witnesses, per legal sheet	0	7	6	Each copy additional	0	1	6
Taking down depositions of witnesses examined under commission, per legal sheet	0	2	0	Examining each witness, and taking memorandum of his evidence per hour	0	15	0
Engrossing same, per legal sheet	0	2	0	Examining each witness in a common action, and attending court, taking judgment, and examining verdict	0	15	0
Affidavits of service of process on one person, affidavitsofmateriality, and other common affidavits, each	0	7	6	Taking down notes of evidence at trial of contested causes, if necessary, per hour	0	12	0
For each additional person	0	3	0	Drawing draft of all writs of partition, dower, enquiry, escheat, certiorari, emblements, extents, returno habendo, intrusion, or other special writ, inquisition, or commission, per legal sheet	0	3	0
Notice of trial	0	3	0	Each copy	0	1	6
Copy ditto	0	1	6	Engrossment	0	2	6
Other common notices or orders for services on the opposite party, or his attorney	0	7	6	Warrant of attorney	0	7	6
Each copy	0	3	9	Common suggestions	0	6	0
				Manucaptions	0	6	0
				Assignment of judgment	0	7	6

	£.	s.	d.		£.	s.	d.
Warrant to enter satisfaction on judgment	0	3	0	Each copy	0	3	9
Each search in common in any of the public offices, per hour or less	0	7	6	Drawing up motion on common order or petition	0	7	6
For each docket of judgment, or other record in the clerk of court or provost marshal's offices	0	1	6	Engrossments of examination of witnesses, per sheet	0	2	6
Examining returns of proceedings upon writs of extent, dower, and other special writs, to see that the same are regular	1	10	0	Writing instructions and returns to dedimus to prove will	1	10	0
Making out bill of costs, if one sheet or less	0	4	0	Writing instructions and returns to dedimus to qualify executor or administrator	1	10	0
Every additional sheet	0	2	0	Taking out form of inventory	0	9	0
				For draft of articles, answers, interrogatories, affidavits, and other special proceedings, per sheet	0	3	0

SCHEDULE C.  
PROCTORS OF COURT OF  
ORDINARY.

Receiving instruction to apply for, or oppose, grant of administration or probate of will, or to qualify executor or administrator	0	15	0	Fair copy	0	1	6
Drawing common affidavits to ground caveat	0	15	0	Engrossments	0	2	6
Copies of citation, each	0	6	0	Making briefs	0	2	0
All affidavits of service of process on one person	0	7	6	Drafts, abstract of proceedings, charging per length of paper abstracted	0	2	0
Each additional person served	0	3	0	Fair copy	0	1	0
Common petitions or suggestions	1	16	0				
Ordinary attendances at public offices	0	7	6				
Attending court on argument or at execution of commission, taking examination, per hour	0	15	0				
Common motions, each	0	7	6				

COURT OF ADMIRALTY  
AND COURT OF ERROR.  
SAME AS COURT OF CHANCERY.

SCHEDULE D.  
CONVEYANCINGS, &c.

Receiving instructions to prepare any deeds	0	15	0
Draft deeds or cases, or other statements, or abstracts of title, per legal sheet	0	3	0
Fair copy	0	1	6
Engrossments	0	2	6
Perusing and considering drafts of deeds submitted for approval, including attendances			

	£.	s.	d.		£.	s.	d.
taking instructions, and on the opposite conveyancer, per sheet	0	1	6	bound to record in the books thereof, for each sheet containing 160 words at the rate of	0	2	6
Perusing deed to ascertain the necessary stamps to be impressed	0	15	0	Recording every plat, for each division therein	0	2	6
Attendance at receiver-general's and stamp offices, to procure stamps to be impressed on any deed or instrument, each	0	7	6	Copy of every plat	0	2	6
Attendance at secretary's office to record deeds or other papers	0	7	6	Making out receipts for deeds and other writings	0	0	5
Searches in the secretary's office in common	0	7	6	Dockets furnished the receiver-general for conveyance of land	0	1	3
If for an hour or more, per hour	0	15	0	Receiver-general's fee on all conveyances and patents of land	0	5	0
Making an ordinary docket	0	7	6	A marriage licence and bond, including drawing out affidavits, filing same, and filing of the bond, and all expences whatever incident thereto	0	17	6
If more than a sheet, for each additional sheet	0	2	6	Affixing the island seal	0	10	0
Writing letters not exceeding two sides	0	6	8	Entering satisfaction on mortgage, including search	0	3	4
Each additional side	0	3	4	Island ticket, including the filing affidavit of identity	0	3	4
Journeys and attendances, including travelling expences, at the rate of £3 per day, and 8s. per mile	3	0	0	Making out and filing ticket bond	0	3	4
				Underwriting	0	1	3
				Filing affidavit of debt to underwrite	0	0	10
				Withdrawing ditto	0	0	10
				Putting up name of person to leave the island and publishing same	0	1	8
				Citations one name	0	3	4
				Ditto, more than one, each additional name	0	1	8
				Sending book into court per order	0	3	4
				Filing affidavits of service of citation, each	0	1	3
				Entering caveat and pub-			

## ISLAND SECRETARY.

55 Geo. III. cap. 19, passed 22d December, 1815.

Old Currency.

£. s. d.

Recording every deed or instrument of writing, of every description whatsoever, brought into his office, and which by law he is

	£.	s.	d.		£.	s.	d.
lishing same	0	1	8	letters of administra-			
Filing authority to with-				tion, including the re-			
draw and withdrawing				cording of the same			
caveats, each	†0	1	8	(such <i>dedimus</i> , pro-			
Publishing proclamation	0	6	8	bates, warrants, and			
Recording each law	1	0	0	letters exempted from			
Attesting each copy of				the stamp duty), each	0	3	4
the laws	†0	1	3	Making out the letters			
Recording crop accounts	0	3	4	of administration, war-			
Moving for a writ of				rant of appraisement,			
error	0	13	4	<i>dedimus</i> to return in-			
Filing ditto	0	0	10	ventory, and <i>dedimus</i>			
Moving to have the re-				to swear appraisers,			
turn opened, and fur-				above £50	1	13	4
nishing copies	0	13	4	Filling up the bond to			
Copies of the writ, re-				record inventory	0	6	8
turn, and transcripts	2	0	0	Making out letters tes-			
Filing the same	0	0	10	tamentary, warrant of			
Writ of certiorari and				appraisement, <i>dedimus</i>			
return	0	6	8	to return inventory,			
Filing joinder in error	0	0	10	and <i>dedimus</i> to swear			
Copy of rejoinder	0	6	8	executors	1	13	4
Queen's bond on appeal	0	5	0	Filling up bond to re-			
Making out a testamen-				turn inventory	0	6	8
tary bond or an admini-				Making out <i>dedimus</i> to			
stration bond in all				swear witnesses, and			
cases, wherein the sum				probates, each	0	6	8
sworn to, according to				Recording wills, long or			
the rule of the court of				otherwise, and <i>dedimus</i>	1	0	0
ordinary, should not				Filing petition for fur-			
exceed £50, and re-				ther time to return in-			
cording same (bond				ventory	0	6	8
exempted from stamp				Moving for an order for			
tax)	0	5	0	commission to prove a			
Making out, in the like				will in solemn form	0	3	4
case, a <i>dedimus</i> to				Commission	0	16	8
swear executors or ad-				Filing interrogatories	0	0	10
ministrators, or ap-				Filing commission	0	0	10
praisers, and to return				Order to pass publica-			
an inventory, inclu-				tion	0	1	8
ding a record of the				Copies of laws, and other			
same, each	0	6	8	deeds and papers filed			
Making out, in the like				in office, for each sheet			
case, a probate of a				containing 160 words			
will, or a will and co-				at the rate of	†0	1	8
dicils, a warrant of				* So that the whole shall not			
appraisement, let-				exceed £2 6s. 8d.			
ters testamentary, and				† Under the 6th Geo. III, cap.			

## CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT.

56 GEO. III. CAP. 23.

Old Currency.

	s.	d.
For a writ of summons, arrest, replevin, or foreign attachment	1	10½
Filing a declaration and copy annexed to the writ	2	6
A bond for foreign attachments, arrests, and replevins, and upon no other writ	2	6
A replication or rejoinder	2	6
A common plea	0	7½
A special plea	2	6
Recording a judgment	2	6
A <i>venire facias</i>	0	7½
A <i>habeas corpus</i> by order of court	2	6
Receiving every verdict and continuance, each	0	7½
A <i>retraxit</i> , or non-suit recorded, each	1	3
Writ of possession, seisin, or restitution, each	5	7½
Signing an execution	2	6
Recording docket	2	6
Entering satisfaction on judgment	2	6
Signing venditioni	8	9
Recording docket	2	6
Signing transcript of execution or venditioni	2	6
A subpoena, in which the names of three witnesses may be inserted	2	6
A recognizance or deposition taken in court	1	3
A commission to auditors	5	0
A writ of <i>scire facias</i>	2	6
Returning the record on a writ of error	2	6
Entering a return of auditors	5	0

	s.	d.
An exemplification of a record	0	6
A writ of enquiry for land	6	3
Recording an assignment of judgment	1	3
Every search for assignment of judgment	0	7½
Docketing judgment under assize court law, each	0	7½
Every other writ issuing out of the supreme court	2	6
Taxing costs on execution, discontinuance, or otherwise	1	3
Striking special jury, and making out writ of venire	12	6
Marking defaults	0	10
Ditto rules on actions to lie by	0	10
And for any other rule marked on the action	0	10
Filing common affidavits	0	10
Ditto special bonds and recognizances	5	0
Ditto suggestions	0	10
Ditto affidavit cost of increase	0	10
Taxing special costs by order of court	12	6
Recording the following process, viz. :		
Judgments of extra length, and exceeding two legal sheets of one hundred and sixty words, for every additional legal sheet at the rate of	1	8
Special entries of judgment in error, per sheet of one hundred and sixty words, at the rate of	1	8
Writs of extent, inquisition, partition, escheat, dower, and emblements an additional fee of 3s. 9d. making the whole fee on each of such writs	6	3

	s.	d.
Certificate of exemplification of judgment under seal of the court	5	0
Copies of proceedings per sheet of one hundred and sixty words, at the rate of	1	8
Recording diagram, each division, 2s. 6d. and of extraordinary size, and trouble, for the whole	25	0
Attesting order of court	2	6
Entering order of court	2	6

### PAROCHIAL OFFICERS' FEES.

#### CLERK OF THE PEACE'S FEES.

##### FOR KINGSTON.

*Old Currency.*  
£. s. d.

For every affidavit and warrant	0	12	6
For every recognizance from each party	0	5	0
For every commitment	0	2	6
For every special discharge	0	2	6
For every bill of indictment	1	10	0
For every bench warrant	1	10	0
For every compromise	1	10	0
For summonses or servant's wages	0	15	0
For trial on ditto	1	5	0
Distress warrant on ditto	1	5	0
For every search warrant	0	15	0
For every affidavit to ground ditto	0	15	0
For proceedings under the inveigling act [the fees allowed by law]			
For licenses [fees by law]			
Countersigning subpoenas for sessions	0	1	3

	£.	s.	d.
For attending adjudication respecting salvage, and drawing up same	0	5	0
For affidavit and warrant of assistance to officers of the customs, if in office hours	1	6	8
If at any other time	2	13	4
For adjudication against smuggled goods	2	13	4
If at any other time	2	13	4

#### FOR TRELAWNY.

	s.	d.
Every affidavit and warrant	5	0
Each recognizance	2	6
Attending trials and taking examinations	10	0
Each notice and copy to witnesses	2	6
Each additional copy	1	8
Each affidavit, summons, and copy	5	0
Each additional copy	1	8
Each search warrant and affidavit	10	0
For every warrant	3	4
For copies of all proceedings when required by any party applying, per 160 words	2	6

#### For Quarter-Sessions.

Affidavit and warrant		
Recognizance to prosecute	5	0
Ditto to appear and answer, each party	5	0
Drawing bill of indictment	25	0
Traverse	10	0
Compromise fee	20	0
Bench warrant	7	0

#### For House Rent.

Affidavit and distress warrant, for all sums above £20	20	0
Ditto ditto for all sums under	5	0



CONSTABLES' FEES.

FOR KINGSTON.

*Old Currency.*

	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
For executing warrants of peace, session, or assize	7	6
For executing the same on board vessels at a wharf	7	6
When a boat is required for one man	13	4
For every additional man	6	8
For conducting any prisoner to gaol or house of correction	2	6
For serving summonses for servant's wages, and attending during trial	7	6
For executing distress warrants for servant's wages	7	6
For executing search warrant	1	8
For every summons for debts not exceeding 40s.	1	3
For contempt warrant thereon, if issued	2	6
For distress warrant on such debt	5	0
For distraining for house rent, if within Fleet-Street, West-Street, and North-Street	10	0
Without those Streets	13	4
Beyond Oxford-Street, or in Rae's-Town	20	0
For each day's custody of things distrained for rent (If sales are made of goods distrained, he is to take the usual commissions of 5l. per cent.	5	0
For serving notices of trial Out of the parish	26	8
For attending all places of amusement, not less than	13	4
Serving summonses on complaints under the or-		

dinances, or the rum s. d.  
law, or laws respecting the police, or weights and measures, &c. the fee for each person convicted, payable out of the gross penalty 5 0

N. B. Upon distraint for rent, the constable must forthwith deliver a list of the articles distrained to the tenant.

FOR ST. CATHERINE.

For every affidavit	2	6
For every warrant	5	0
Indictment at quarter-sessions	33	4
For a recognizance	2	
For every conviction at quarter-sessions	33	4
For every compromise, ditto	33	4
Bench warrant, ditto	30	0
Entering traverse, each	5	0
Original subpœna	2	6
Copy of ditto	1	3
Search warrant, and affidavit to ground same	10	0
Warrant to distrain for rent, and ditto	10	0
Servant's wages, citation, copy, and affidavit	0	10
Distress warrant on ditto	5	0
Preparing proceedings for certiorari, &c.	50	0
Every summons	2	6
Every distress under 5s.	3	4
Ditto ditto above 50s.	5	0
Service of summons or other notice	1	3
Apprehension in town	1	6
Within one mile of church	5	0
For every extra mile	1	3

FOR TRELAWNY.

	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
Executing a warrant	2	6
Service of summons and copy	2	6

	s.	d.		s.	d.
Travelling expenses per mile, going only	1	0	Every additional man	10	0
Executing bench warrant	10	0	Executing distress warrant above 20 $\frac{1}{2}$ l.	10	0
Going on board ship with silver oar	20	0	Ditto under 20 $\frac{1}{2}$ l.	2	0

### FEES TO THE CLERKS OF THE PEACE, AND COLLECTORS, UNDER THE PETTY DEBT ACT.

#### CLERK OF THE PEACE.

	Old Currency.		
	£.	s.	d.
Summons to appear and answer	0	1	3
Recording judgment	0	2	6
Warrant of levy and arrest	0	1	3
Summons to witnesses	0	1	3

#### COLLECTOR.

	Old Currency.		
	s.	d.	
Serving summons to appear and answer	0	1	3
Warrant of levy and arrest	0	3	4
Serving summons to witness	0	1	8
Mile-money	0	0	7 $\frac{1}{2}$

### POUNDAGE OF STRAYS.

#### FEES TO POUNDKEEPERS.

	s.	d.
Every head of horned cattle, and every horse, mare, gelding, and mule	3	0
Every ass	2	0
Every sheep or goat	1	0
<i>For feed and care per diem, viz.:</i>		
Every head of horned stock, and every horse, mare, gelding, or mule	2	0
Every ass	1	6
Every sheep or goat	1	0
Charge of stock advertised in addition.		

No charge to be made for followers of less than six months old at time of impounding.

#### TO PARTIES TAKING STRAYS TO POUND.

	s.	d.
Every cow, calf, bull, heifer, steer, horse, mare, gelding, colt, mule, or ass	1	6
Every one to the extent of five at the rate each of	1	0
Every one above five 6d. each		
For five or a less number of goats and sheep	1	6
Every additional goat or sheep, where the number exceeds five	0	4

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